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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION TO COST ABOUT $5,000,000 CONTEMPLATED BY FRICK

MURRY A. VERNER UNDECIDED CONCERNING THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE RECORDERSHIP HONOR

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LOCAL.

H. C. Frick is planning to erect for Pittsburgh a magnificent university, costing about $5,000,000, on the $1,000,000 plot he bought from Mrs. Mary E. Schenley, opposite the Carnegie Institute. It will be liberally endowed, will have no "string" attached to it, and the city of Pitsburgh will not have to make appropriations for it. It will be a great philanthropy.—Page 1.

At Christ Methodist Episcopal church, Shadyside, yesterday, the congregation raised $50,000 in a single collection, and freed the church from debt, as a preparation for celebrating its fiftieth anniversary next Sunday.—Page 1.

Members of Pittsburgh councils prepare a surprise for the railroads in amendments to pending ordinances, providing that any road that may in the future want to enter city, may do so over tracks of existing companies by paying a fair rental. Other interesting things promised.—Page 1.

Guiseppe Fianiro is waylaid, killed and robbed by a negro highwayman on the outskirts of Carnegie, and his body rolled into a ditch and hidden.—Page 3.

Locomotive boiler bursts and injures eight employes of the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad, one of whom dies.—Page 2.

The Rev. J. M. Thoburn calls the Methodist church to its early activity, and says the church is growing formal and cold, and is no longer the great institution for bringing souls to God.—Page 8.

The Rev. Thomas J. Jones, the only missionary of the Welsh Presbyterians of America in the India mission fields, makes an urgent plea for aid in a great work.—Page 8.

At the temperance day services in the Sixth United Presbyterian church, the speakers advance women's suffrage as the certain cure for the liquor evil, and speaker advises young women to require purity, honor and sobriety, just as their finances require these qualities of them.—Page 8.

The Rev. Charles M. Miller, pastor of the Bingham Street Methodist Episcopal church, South Side, preached to the Junior Order United American Mechanics yesterday morning, and urged ballot reform.—Page 8.

Great work was accomplished the past 48 hours in reducing the freight congestion in the Pittsburgh district. There were 41,360 cars moved, and the tonnage is estimated at 1,240,800 tons. The Pennsylvania system reduced yard accommodations by 1,600 cars.—Page 1.

After a conference with Thomas S. Bigelow, Murry A. Verner said last night that he was undecided about being a candidate for recorder. It is believed that he will decline to enter the contest.—Page 1.

There is now a remote hope that some of the railroads west of Pittsburgt will force the railroad combine to curtail its proposed freight rate advance of 20 per cent on iron and steel articles.—Page 5.

The United Labor league of Western Pennsylvania, in behalf of its claim of 70,000 constituency, last night called upon President Roosevelt to prevent the settlement of the anthracite contentions outside of the commission on the allegation that it will prevent revelations of alleged unlawful practices of the operators.—Page 5.

SPORTING.

The Yale football eleven will be given a fine banquet at New Haven in celebration of defeating Harvard and winning the championship.—Page 10.

Peace is expected to prevail at the coming annual meeting of the National league, and definite plans may be adopted to fight the American.—Page 10.

From present indications the winter racing meet at New Orleans will be the most successful ever held on the Crescent City track.—Page 10.

FINANCIAL.

Market sentiment, rather than change of underlying conditions, is cause of price recovery in stocks.—Page 11.

CINCINNATI MAN PROBABLY MURDERED

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—Edward Saatkamp, acting superintendent of the Ross-Meyer Machinery Tool Company, was killed today at the factory on Syracuse street. His body was found tonight in a pool of blood, and there were indications in the counting room of a struggle. The victim had money and was robbed.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Annie Russell in "The Girl and the Judge," 8:15 p. m.

NEW GRAND—New stock company "In the Palace of the King," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—Brothers Byrne in "New 8 Bells," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Empire show in vaudeville and James J. Corbett, 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"A Gambler's Daughter," 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Harry W. Williams, Jr.'s Imperial Burlesquers, 8:15 p. m.

AVENUE—Thirty minutes of grand opera and long list of vaudeville stars in continuous performance from 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Loan exhibition, open from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.

FRICK PLANS TO BUILD A UNIVERSITY

Multi-Millionaire Will Make a Grand Gift to Pittsburgh.

CITY NOT TO BE ASKED TO HELP

Magnificent Buildings to Grace $1,000,000 Bellefield Plot.

A LIBERAL ENDOWMENT

"I wish I was at liberty to tell you of Mr. Frick's plans for a great philanthropy for Pittsburgh. Briefly, he proposes to build a Pittsburgh university. The buildings, which will constitute a magnificent pile, will be erected on the 16-acre plot of ground bound by Fifth avenue and Forbes street, St. Pierre and Bellefield streets, which he purchased from Mrs. Mary E. Schenley some time ago, paying nearly $1,000,000 therefor. The new university will be right across Forbes street from the Carnegie Institute."

This statement was made yesterday afternoon by a close friend and business associate of Henry Clay Frick's. He refused to be more explicit and would not even outline the plans in a general way, though he admitted having seen them and being familiar with many of the details. He said he was sworn to the strictest secrecy regarding the grand and surprising gift the well-known multi-millionaire intends making to Pittsburgh in the not far distant future.

City Will Not Have to Help.

"Mr. Frick's gift to Pittsburgh will be without a single string," said the speaker. "The city will not have to provide the site, and there will be no clause in the articles of donation requiring the city to raise or appropriate so much money each year for the maintenance of the new institution.

"It is the intention of Mr. Frick to liberally endow his new gift, so that all expenses for its running may be met and a surplus probably be left in the treasury at the close of each fiscal year. It is Mr. Frick's idea to make his new buildings the greatest and best, just as his wonderful down-town office building now towers above all the others.

"While I am not at liberty to give Mr. Frick's estimate as to the cost of his new buildings, it will be perfectly safe to say they will cost considerably over $5,000,000, and the first endowment fund will be about one-half this amount. Two of the most famous architects of Europe have been engaged on the plans of the new buildings for the past year, and associated with these two men are New York and Pittsburgh architects."

Will Add to Pittsburgh's Fame.

According to this same authority Mr. Frick has been hard at work ever since he purchased the 16-acre tract of land from Mrs. Schenley on plans for the erection of buildings the fame of which shall reach far and wide and greatly add to the reputation Pittsburgh is so fast acquiring as a seat of culture and learning, as well as the home of millionaires.

Thus far there are less than half-a-dozen Pittsburghers who are fully acquainted with Mr. Frick's plans, and it is understood they will not be made public until after the site for the Carnegie technical school has been definitely decided upon, and the new school buildings are in course of erection.

When Mr. Frick was in Europe last year he studied the plans of all the great universities on the continent, and it was stated yesterday on authority that it was Mr. Frick's intention to take another trip abroad early next year in order that he may further study the lines on which he expects to build his Pittsburgh university.

NEW CASTLE WOMAN SUDDENLY DISAPPEARS

Husband Is Telegraphed for and Goes to Mt. Clemens to Investigate.

DETROIT, MICH., Nov. 23.—Five weeks ago O. O. Warner of New Castle, Pa., came to Mt. Clemens, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. C. E. Lamison, the latter coming for the bath and medical treatment. Mrs. Lamison became quite friendly with George Hensey of Detroit. Last Thursday night Warner and his daughter, after spending the evening with their new friend, retired as usual. The next morning Mrs. Lamison was missing and so was Hensey.

After two days' unavailing search the police gave up the case and Mr. Lamison was notified and came to Mt. Clemens last night. He is heartbroken, but will make a thorough search for his wife.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Nov. 23.—O. O. Warner lives at No. 321 Scioto street. His daughter is 23 years old and has been married three years to Charles E. Lamison. Mrs. Lamison was suffering from heart trouble. Her mother is sick. Mrs. Warner says she got a letter from her daughter on Thursday, written on Tuesday.

Mrs. Warner says her daughter eloped with a man six years ago, but her father brought her back from Butler the same day. John Stewart, Mrs. Warner's brother, said tonight that on Thursday Lamison received a telegram from Warner and immediately left for Detroit.

Mrs. Warner thinks George Hensey worked in a glass works in New Castle three years ago.

W. GODFREY HUNTER, JR.

He is the son of the retiring United States minister to Guatemala, and killed W. A. Fitzgerald of Grand Rapids.

RAILROADS TO GET SURPRISE

Councilmen Will Demand That They Allow Other Roads to Come In.

MUST RENT TRACKS

The members of Pittsburgh councils, considering the valuable franchise rights asked by the Pennsylvania, Wabash and Baltimore & Ohio railroads from the city, are looking out for the future, and the surprise may be sprung at today's meeting of councils. Amendments will probably be made to the ordinances introduced by the railroads when they reach select councils, if not before, requiring them to bind themselves by agreement to allow any road that may want to enter Pittsburgh in the future, the right to use their tracks for the purpose, providing, of course, that a fair rental is paid.

The Wabash and the Pennsylvania railroad ordinances will come up in the common branch. The Wabash ordinances will be delayed on account of reference to a committee and amendments that will be offered. Changes will be suggested in the Pennsylvania ordinances. Most of the proposed changes have already been talked of, but the most radical amendment may not be offered until the ordinances of both railroads reach the select branch.

A member of select council will offer an amendment to the Wabash and Pennsylvania ordinances, stipulating that the tracks shall be open to any other railroad that in the future may wish to enter the city, and be willing to pay a fair rental for the use of the tracks.

Common Councilman Harry A. Lamb has a poor opinion of the steep hillside, which the Pennsylvania railroad offers to the city in lieu of the franchise for the branch from Fifth and Dallas avenues to the Allegheny river through Highland park. He will offer an amendment that the Pennsylvania, instead of giving this land, relinquish all its right and interest to the $400,000 which the city owes the Pennsylvania railroad for improvements in the vicinity of the Union station.

In common council, J. C. Wasson will introduce his amendment, making the Wabash and Pennsylvania railroads assume all damages to property interests caused by the construction of the railroads. This amendment was incorporated in the Wabash ordinance, but omitted from the bills when they were reprinted. It will be put back.

SENATOR QUAY BACK IN WASHINGTON HOME

Messrs. Penrose and Andrews Continue on Their Journey to Philadelphia.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.

Senators Quay and Penrose and Secretary W. R. Andrews of the Pennsylvania state Republican committee, arrived here tonight from their vacation of two weeks in Florida.

Senator Penrose and Mr. Andrews continued on to Philadelphia. The former said he had had a pleasant visit. He said he would be a candidate for re-election and expected to win.

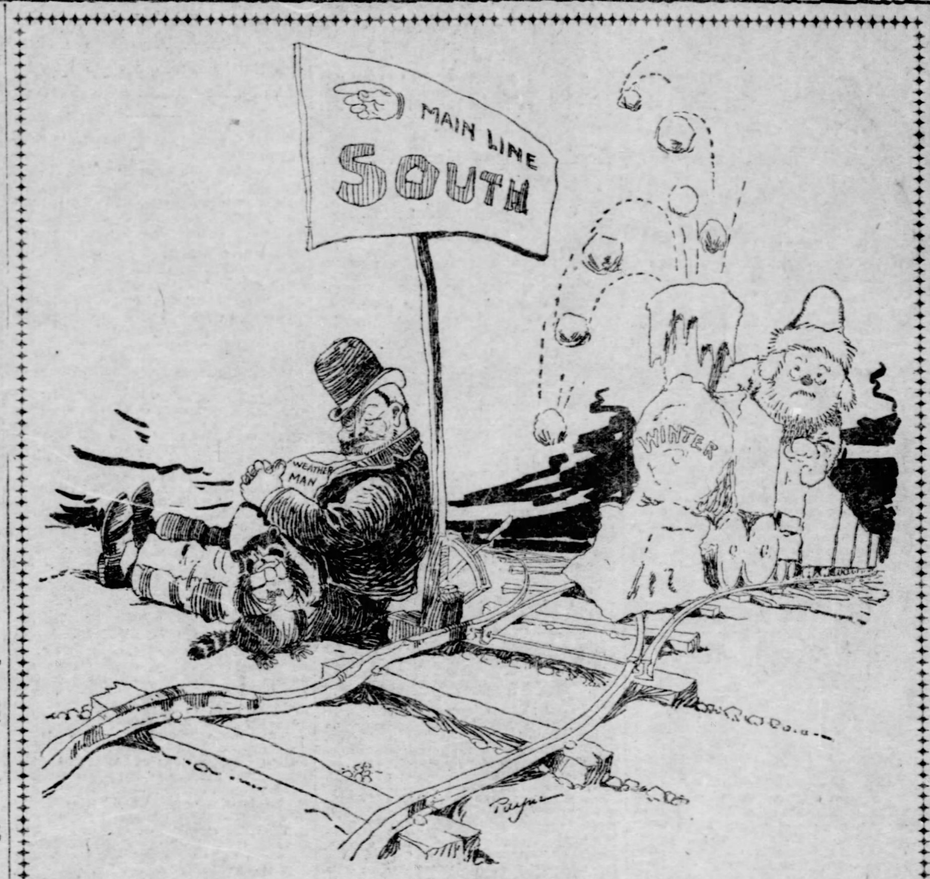
Senator Quay was driven to his residence. As usual he declined to be interviewed, but denied the story published during the past week that he was in Indian territory. He spent his entire vacation in Florida.

Kitchener May Tackle Mullah.

ADEN, ARABIA, Nov. 23.—Lord Kitchener has arrived here on his way to India and has conferred with the commandant, Gen. Maitland, concerning the campaign which is proceeding against the Mullah in Somaliland.

PAJAMAS AND WATER FORCED ON TRAMPS.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The officials of the Cleveland Associated Charities have decided upon an innovation that may not be acceptable to the hoboes who seek shelter beneath the roof of the organization. Hereafter every tramp who asks for a night's lodging will not only be compelled to take a bath, but will be provided with pajamas. The step has been decided upon as a sanitary necessity.



ASLEEP AT THE SWITCH.

CANNOT AGREE ON TRUST ISSUE

Two Cabinet Members Advise President to Modify Message.

TONE TOO STRONG

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.

Those who have been expecting that the annual message of President Roosevelt will be a dull and indecisive document will be disappointed. The message will take grounds of no uncertain nature on some of the great subjects which attracted wide attention during the last congressional campaign.

It will strike the Republican keynote on the subject of the trusts, and an idea of its nature can be drawn from this incident: When the cabinet met on Friday, the president read a portion of his message to his associates. What he read had to do with the trust question. It was found to urge legislation on this subject and recommended that this legislation be attempted immediately in congress.

It has been the fortune—good or bad—of President Roosevelt, when he is about to attempt something out of the beaten track, to have some members of his cabinet object and advise that he do nothing. In each instance subsequent events showed that the president was doing the right thing, and that his cabinet was in the wrong.

Two members of the cabinet on Friday did not think the president was doing the wise thing in asking congress to legislate on the trusts at the short session, and they advised that the message be modified. The members who gave this advice were Secretary Moody and Postmaster General Payne, two of the men on whom the president relies for political counsel.

It is not likely that the message will be altered to meet the suggestions, although the disagreement on that subject between them and the president is good natured.

COURTESY CAUSED A FATAL ACCIDENT

Oakmont Man, Stepping Out of Woman's Way, Fell Forty Feet.

In performing an act of courtesy, James Cunningham, aged 40, of Oakmont, last night received probably fatal injuries. He stepped from a boardwalk in order to let two women pass, and fell 40 feet upon a pile of rocks. His back was broken and the physicians of the West Penn hospital, whither he was removed, have no hope for recovery.

The boardwalk was crowded with women returning from church and Cunningham, who was going in the opposite direction, stepped aside at a point where an electric light blinded him and prevented him seeing his danger. There was no railing to protect pedestrains, and he fell headlong upon the rocks below. Men ran to his rescue and improvised a rude stretcher, carrying him to a livery stable, where a physician was called. An examination proved that the man's back was broken and a special locomotive on the Allegheny Valley railroad carried him to the hospital.

Cunningham had intended entering the employ of a railroad company today. He formerly lived in New York, where his wife and family reside.

ELEPHANT SLAIN IN COTTON FIELD

Gypsy Goes Mad After Having Been Hurt in Wreck.

KILLS HER KEEPER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Tipton, Ga., Nov. 23.—Enraged by a train collision that wrecked the car in which she was confined, Gypsy, the largest elephant with the W. H. Harris circus, killed her keeper and escaped to the woods, where she was slain after an exciting chase.

The Harris train was wrecked by colliding with an engine and several of the animal cars were smashed. Gypsy was intensely nervous after the accident, and her keeper, James O'Rourke, attempted to quiet her.

The circus train proceeded to Valdosta, but the beast was so thoroughly frightened and nervous that when O'Rourke entered the car the elephant attacked him, and before he could escape she had gathered him in her trunk and dashed him against the door of the car. She then trampled the body until it was a mass of broken bones and bruised flesh.

O'Rourke did not have time to close the door of the car after he entered, and when the train slowed up at a crossing Gypsy made a dash for the woods. Her trumpeting aroused the circus attaches, and a hunt was organized. The hunt lasted two hours, when the mad elephant was found in a cotton field, tearing up stalks and trumpeting.

It was thought useless to capture the elephant alive, so large caliber rifles and explosive bullets were brought into requisition. After a dozen shots the elephant fell, mortally wounded.

Fifteen employes of the circus cut up the carcass and preserved the skin and bones.

WENT WRONG WAY.

Secretary Hitchcock Throws Some Tantalizing News at President in an Official Report.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—A special from Washington to the World says:

When President Roosevelt appreciates the real significance of the annual report of Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock—that part of it relating to the plague of bears in Yellowstone park—it is possible that there will be a scene between the cabinet and his chief.

It is considered downright queer in official circles, that the secretary of the interior should allow the president to go bear hunting away down in Mississippi, where the bears run from strangers, when right out in the government's own domain the bears are so tame that they will take pie out of the hand.

If Mr. Hitchcock is seen looking pale and distraught within the next few days it will be known that the president's eye has lighted on the fetching paragraphs in which the facts about the Yellowstone park bears are told.

"THE MOCKING BIRD" AUTHOR PASSES AWAY

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.—Septimus Winner, aged 76, composer of "The Mocking Bird," and hundreds of other popular songs, died suddenly today at his home here.

He was a contributor to Graham's magazine when Edgar Allen Poe was its editor. One of his compositions, "Give Us Back Our Old Commander," written after the removal of Gen. McClellan, is said to have threatened the disruption of the military forces and its publication was stopped by the government. Mr. Winner sold "The Mocking Bird" for $35, but the publishers realized $5,000,000 from its sale.

CHRIST CHURCH WIPES OUT DEBT

Largest Single Collection Ever Taken Up in Pittsburgh.

$30,000 WAS RAISED

With a single sweep, the Christ Methodist Episcopal church, East End, wiped out its standing indebtedness of $30,000 yesterday. An extra effort was made to secure this money, in order that the church could celebrate its fiftieth anniversary next Sunday free from debt and commence another half century with a clean record.

The debt of Christ church was not incurred by running behind in its expenses, but through the accruing interest on a mortgage on the piece of property adjoining the church, at Liberty and Center avenues. This has been growing for the past few years and as the golden anniversary of the church approached a determined effort was made to wipe out this debt.

Christ church has a membership ranging from 600 to 700 members and is one of the wealthiest congregations in the city. The pastor, the Rev. Edwin Alonzo Blake, and several of the trustees, including Durbin Horne, Otis Shepard, John G. Holmes, Thomas B. Riter, John Murphy and J. S. Cunningham, went actively to work about a month ago to raise this amount among the members.

Just a month ago Dr. Blake announced from the pulpit that Sunday, November 23, had been appointed for a collection for this purpose. The members and the trustees did not remain idle and early last week it began to seem that the entire amount would be contributed yesterday.

When the members arrived in church yesterday morning a blank subscription card was found in their pews. This was to be filled in as a contribution to the $30,000, and was to be placed in the collection box. After the collection was taken, the amount on the cards was counted and it was announced that the entire amount had been donated. About 100 people in all contributed.

METHODISTS GIVE $70,000

Good Sum Raised in New York for the Benefit of Superannuated Ministers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Methodist churches in this city today raised about $70,000 of the $100,000 which they planned to collect for the support of superannuated ministers. Of this amount $30,000 was subscribed this afternoon at a meeting held in Carnegie music hall.

The cause of the superannuated ministers was presented by bishops of the church and chiefly by the prince of debt raisers, Bishop C. C. McCabe, better known as "Chaplain" McCabe.

IN OFFICE SUNDAY.

Activity of George J. Gould Causes Belief That Something Is Doing in Manhattan.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—The World today says: Early Sunday morning George J. Gould paid a visit to his office in the Western Union building.

To the minds of those conversant with recent developments it seemed to indicate that the negotiations pending between the Inter-Borough Rapid Transit Company and the Manhattan Railroad Company for a lease of the "L" system on the basis of a 7 per cent guaranteed dividend, were approaching a termination. It is understood that an official statement will be made within a few hours.

WILLIAM A. FITZGERALD.

Grand Rapids man killed in Guatemala by W. Godfrey Hunter, Jr., son of the retiring United States minister to Guatemala.

MURRY VERNER IS UNDECIDED

Confers With Thomas S. Bigelow About the Recordership.

LIKELY TO REFUSE

After a long conference with Thomas S. Bigelow last night, Murry A. Verner said that he was undecided about being a candidate for city recorder. There is good reason for believing that he will refuse to go into the contest.

Mr. Verner returned to his home in this city from New York yesterday morning. Last evening he had a conference with Mr. Bigelow. What passed between them is their secret unless a third person was present. Mr. Bigelow could not be seen and Mr. Verner simply said that the question of his candidacy was still undecided. He may make a statement concerning his intentions today.

Mr. Verner was seen at his home during the afternoon and had this to say: "My business is the only thing which will prevent me from becoming a candidate for recorder. I am still interested in the building of street railways in St. Petersburg, Russia. The minister of finance has been absent from the capital for some time and when he is not there it is impossible to transact business with him. My advices are that he will return to his post tomorrow. I am expecting to be summoned to Russia and am ready to go on very short notice.

"Pittsburgh is a great city, and will become more important. The recorder must be a man who can devote himself entirely to the government of the municipality. He must not be hampered with other business. If I were to go into the office I would want to be free to give my whole time to the management of the city and do it in my own way. Within the term of the next recorder municipal lines will no doubt be extended and a greater city result. The responsibilities of the executive will increase.

"In the past couple of years Pittsburgh has stood still so far as improvements have been concerned. It has taken four years to get a street in my neighborhood paved. The new recorder must be progressive. If I were to become the executive my policy would not be one of cutting down. I am for progress and improvement. As to whether I intend to become a candidate I am not ready to talk. It is my intention to have a conference with Mr. Bigelow tonight. He saw me in New York the other day and talked with me about being a candidate for recorder and I promised to see him when I returned to Pittsburgh."

SETS UP MAN OF STRAW.

New Jersey Girl Declines to Disappoint Wedding Guests When the Groom Fails to Appear.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—(Special.)—The Sun this morning says:

There was a remarkable feast last night at the home of Miss Josephine Jordan in River street, Paterson, N. J. At the head of the table was the effigy of a bridegroom—a suit of clothes stuffed with straw, surmounted by a false face and a hat.

The guests were hilarious and all their jokes were pointed at the substitute husband. Occasionally the girls gave the stuffed figure a hug, tweaked its nose, or pulled its whiskers.

Miss Jordan is a French girl. She was to have been married last night to Raymond Hopper, a young man employed in a silk infill. Preparations for the marriage were made and the guests invited, when something happened which Miss Jordan will not explain. Hopper did not appear last night and his bride evidently did not expect him.

She decided not to disappoint the guests, so she prepared the effigy and gave her friends a good time.

THE TONNAGE THAT IS MOVED IS ENORMOUS

In Two Days 1,240,800 Tons in 41,360 Cars Put in Motion.

CONGESTION IS GREATLY REDUCED

Interchange Movement About Pittsburgh Practically Cleared Up.

DELAYED BY ACCIDENT

Official estimates of the railroad executives on the movements of freight yesterday and Saturday are as follows:

	Sunday. Cars.	Saturday. Cars.
P. R. R. system	13,000	10,500
B. & O.	4,600	4,500
P. & L. E.	2,760	6,000
Totals	20,360	21,000

Tonnage of the combined totals of the two days, 41,360 cars, and estimating 20 per cent as empty, 1,240,800 tons.

Pennsylvania system reduced yard accumulations in the two days by 1,600 cars.

"The roads this morning were in very much better condition than a week ago this morning. There is now practically no congestion on the interchange movement about Pittsburgh. What there is has been on account of the heavy through freight eastbound. The interchange is now fairly free.

This was the statement made last night in relation to the traffic condition of the Pennsylvania system by James McCrea, director of the Pennsylvania railroad and first vice president of the Pennsylvania lines west.

Officials and men worked like Trojans. They accomplished a heavy movement yesterday and also on Saturday. The movement yesterday of the Pennsylvania system was handicapped somewhat by the locomotive explosion at Thomson station on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston division, which blocked the tracks with wrecked locomotives and cars from 5:30 o'clock in the morning till 12:45 in the afternoon. Yesterday evening this statement was made by a transportation official in relation to accomplishments of the Pennsylvania system:

"The movement on Saturday up to 12 o'clock at night was very satisfactory. The accident on the Monongahela division caused some delay, and this will curtail what was arranged to be a record movement today. The interchange movement on Friday was in nearly normal condition."

Hard Day's Work for Railroaders.

It was a hard day's work for all railroaders yesterday. R. M. Patterson, general superintendent of the Pittsburgh terminals of the Pennsylvania railroad system, who has been working almost night and day, was in his office nearly all day and till late last night. He was inaccessable to outsiders. On Saturday evening there was a conference of the transportation officials of the Pittsburgh system, and at that time plans were laid for a record movement yesterday.

Attending this conference were Third Vice President J. J. Turner, General Manager George L. Peck and General Superintendent of Freight Transportation A. B. Starr of the Pennsylvania lines west; R. M. Patterson, general superintendent of terminals of the Pennsylvania system and other general officials and the division superintendents. Arrangements were made to press into service for yesterday all the work train engines and others which could be got here and in this way the service of about 100 locomotives otherwise engaged the day before, worked to end the congestion.

Only Eight Hours Off Duty.

On the Pennsylvania system and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, although the latter road is free from congestion, the men are being held to the rule of only eight hours off duty. If they report unfit for service it is only then that they are excused, or when they are so regarded by their chiefs.

On the Baltimore & Ohio there is little congestion, and the movement of this road through Pittsburgh was heavy yesterday. There is a good supply of locomotives and enough men to do the work. They are allowed "to mark up their own time" on the Baltimore & Ohio. That is, when they report off they may be recorded as for a rest of 12 or 14 hours if they choose.

On the Baltimore & Ohio a movement westward to relieve a congestion at Cumberland has hampered the conditions at Connellsville. Other yards are fairly clear. The movement of cars yesterday to and from the various yards, under the supervision of the Pittsburgh offices, Benwood, New Castle, Willow Grove, Pittsburgh and Glenwood, is announced by officials to be nearly normal. On Saturday 4,500 cars were moved, and on Friday 4,600 cars, which latter figure was again reached yesterday. A week ago Thursday the movement was 4,843 cars, the heaviest on record.

No Interference from Per Diem Rule.

Col. James M. Schoonmaker, vice president and general manager of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, said yesterday: "For four weeks past we have been quite free from congestion. Last week we moved an average of 6,000 cars a day. Last Monday morning we did not have over two score of cars left in the McKees Rocks yards. Tomorrow we will probably have none, for this morning we only had 2,300 loads to move. We have an advantage in a good complement of motive power and enough men to work it."

A. B. Starr, general superintendent of

He Tends Door Even In Death

PARIS, Nov. 23.—(Copyright.)—Paris has just lost its model concierge, Eugene Brun, guardian of a house. He committed suicide on Saturday night, leaving a letter to explain that, as the weather was very cold and he did not want any of the tenants to be shut out in the streets by his being unable to pull the cordon to admit them, he would postpone his suicide till after midnight. Even at that hour, the scrupulous concierge was not sure that all the tenants had returned. So, in order to make assurance double sure, he hanged himself to the cordon, so that the weight of his body would cause the door to open.

freight transportation of the Pennsylvania lines west, was asked yesterday if it is true that officials, in order to make a good showing under the per diem system of paying for cars off the initial lines, when the loaded cars have been delivered, that the consignee, who may himself have freight to consign, is not given time to load the cars and that they are hurried back to the initial line empty. He declared that there is nothing in this.

In the coking region there are now 350,000 tons of coke piled and many of the furnaces of the Pittsburgh district, Maroning and Shenango valleys and the Cleveland district are hampered from the shortage. At the lake docks about 2,500,000 tons of ore are piled up, the congestion preventing as prompt a movement as is desired before freezing weather comes.

Heavy Movement of Freight.

IRWIN, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The movement of freight trains east since early this morning was the greatest ever known here. Train after train was sent through and made an almost continuous freight over the two tracks. Passenger trains were held up east of here so as not to hold the freights. From this point 24 trains of coal were moved east.

DR. LORENZ OPERATES ON SEVEN LITTLE GIRLS

Famous Vienese Continues His Errand of Mercy by Visiting St. Louis Patients.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., Nov. 23.—Three more young girls, sufferers from dislocations of the hip, underwent the Lorenz bloodless operation this morning at the Polyclinic.

The four free cases treated Saturday were regarded as most unfavorable subjects. Those treated today Dr. Lorenz regarded as most favorable. No unlooked for anatomical difficulties were encountered, and it is expected that eventually the three children will be well of an affliction which otherwise would have rendered them cripples for life.

Although the seven delicate little girls who are at the Polyclinic hospital have undergone at the celebrated Vienna specialist's hands a rending and tearing of their muscles and ligaments which practically amounted to pulpifying them, they were all cheerful and bright tonight, with one exception. This child was in a state bordering on hysterics, but a physician said her condition is not alarming and she probably will be as well as the others tomorrow.

All of the children complain of the strained and unnatural position in which their limbs have been set in plaster of paris, and ask to have the restrictive casts removed. They must put up with the discomfort for weary months, Dr. Lorenz says after a week or so they will become accustomed to the casts and will not suffer.

WIERD MUSICAL NIGHT BLAMED ON MASCAGNI

Another Load of Trouble Dumped on Impresario by New York Club.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.

It was Mascagni night, or, rather morning at the Aschenbroedel verein early today. It was not such a night as the impresario usually presents when he desires to make exclusive renderings of the works of a composer before the public, but it was enjoyed and cheered by 300 musician members of the club and their friends.

Signor Mascagni was not there, nor were any members of his orchestra, so far as could be seen, but costumers and wigmakers had produced faithful representations of them, from Mr. Mascagni and his baton down to the man who manipulates the "tom-tom." Some of the Italian composer's music was also played. That is, there is suspicions that it was played, but owing to an unfortunate tendency upon the part of some of the orchestra to play "rag-time" while others appeared to prefer popular airs, the melody was somewhat weird.

The Aschenbroedel verein, with a membership of 700 of the best known musicians of the city, celebrated the tenth anniversary of its occupancy of its clubhouse in East Eighty-sixth street, and, as the troubles of the Italian composer and his managers with local musicians was still fresh in their minds, it was determined to devote the evening to him.

VALUABLE PAPERS GONE

Chicago Mail Wagon Robbery Will Cause Much Inconvenience to New York Brokers.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Chicago's mail wagon robbery of last night, will cause certain New York stock brokers considerable inconvenience, as it was discovered today that one of the stolen mail pouches contained several packages of stocks, bonds and similar securities which it was intended should reach New York in time to be used when the stock exchange opens there Monday.

One man, a member of the Chicago stock exchange, whose name is not made public by the postoffice authorities, is said to have mailed a paper of the face value of $100,000 which was in one of the missing sacks. This paper is not negotiable, but its loss may cause a great amount of annoyance, as the brokers affected probably will have to furnish a bond to cover the temporary lack of the security.

As near as can be estimated by the postoffice officials, the robbers secured between $12,000 and $13,000 in cash, certified checks and other negotiable paper. Of this amount $2,900 belonged to the postoffice, the receipts of one of the substations during the day. No trace of the robbers has yet been found.

OLD FERRY BOAT BURNS AT ESPLEN

The old ferry boat that has been plying between Esplen borough and lower Allegheny for some years was destroyed by fire this morning, although the Esplen fire department did its best to save it. The boat was worth about $3,000. The boat had been beached for repairs. At 9 o'clock last night fire broke out in the boat, and the fire department put the fire out, as it thought. At midnight the flames broke out again and the boat was destroyed.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived Nov. 23.

New York—Etruria from Liverpool.
New York—Potsdam from Rotterdam.
New York—La Gascogne from Havre.
New York—Georgiana from Liverpool.
Liverpool—Lancastrian from New York.
Liverpool—Umbria from New York.
Liverpool—Merion from Boston.
Moville—Columbia from New York.
Plymouth—Bluecher from New York.

Sailed Nov. 23.

Liverpool—Georgic for New York.
Liverpool—Numidian for Philadelphia.
Queenstown—Campania for New York.
Queenstown—New England for Boston.
Southampton—Moltke for New York.

For Over 60 Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

DEATH OF KRUPP NOT UNEXPECTED

Two Physicians in House at Time Because of His Illness.

HIS HEART VERY WEAK

For Long Time Subject to Fainting Spells—Widow Hurries to Essen in Special Train—Funeral on Wednesday.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—The first assumption that Herr Krupp, the great gun master, whose death was recorded yesterday, committed suicide, is yielding to precise and abundant testimony to the contrary. Prof. Binswanger, a physician of the highest reputation, was in the apartment adjoining Herr Krupp's sleeping room when he was stricken on Saturday morning, and Dr. Pahl, Herr Krupp's family doctor, also was in the house. They summoned several other physicians, and it is regarded as being beyond belief that all of them should have connived at a concealment of the cause of death, which they ascribe to a stroke of apoplexy, induced, they add unofficially, by mental excitement, from which Herr Krupp was suffering.

Herr Krupp's medical history for several years past indicate that he was in delicate health. He was asthmatic, had a weak heart and was subject to fainting spells. His condition accounted for the presence of two physicians in the house at the time of his death.

Mrs. Krupp was sent for from Jena. She is suffering from a nervous malady, but was brought to Essen in a special train, arriving there this morning. The funeral has been fixed for Wednesday. Chancellor Buelow, all the ministers and a great number of other officials have telegraphed their condolence to the widow.

Herr Krupp leaves two daughters, who are at school, one named Barbara, aged 17, and the second named Bertha, 15 years old.

Herr Krupp's favorite study was to think out schemes for improving the well-being of the lower classes, which he applied practically to what are called "labor colonies." He assented seemingly to most socialistic principles, except that he held tight to the wage system, averring that the wage earners were not yet sufficiently developed or self-controlled to regulate for themselves a just system of division of profits.

Herr Krupp had also a variety of institutions, some of them rather singular, such as "Bachelors' homes" and "Widowers' retreats." Besides convalescent hospitals and orphanages he had a pension fund for his employes, amounting to $4,125,000. He contributed last year, as required by law, $372,000 to the National Insurance fund, and gave voluntarily $4,000,000 to other insurance funds.

Notwithstanding his benevolent interests in the laborers he was an autocrat in the management of his concerns. He was almost unknown by sight to his workmen, and rarely visited the works or even his offices.

Unlike his father, Herr Krupp took no interest in the technical side of his business, yet in 15 years he more than doubled the fortune he inherited.

HUNTER MUST STAND TRIAL FOR MURDER

United States Not Likely to Protect Son of Minister to Guatemala.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10 Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.

Although the state department has not yet decided to turn Godfrey Hunter, who shot and killed Wm. A. Fitzgerald in Guatemala, over to the Guatemala authorities, it is thought that this action will be taken if it is learned upon further investigation that young Hunter was culpable.

There is no way in which either young Hunter or Mr. Bailey, secretary of the United States legation in Guatemala City, can be punished except by the Guatemala authorities. They cannot be punished in the United States for a crime committed in Guatemala.

As members of the minister's household they are immune from arrest by Guatemala authorities. But the United States can waive this right, and it is thought here that Secretary Hay will take this course of action, should he decide after due consideration that young Hunter was to blame.

Guatemala appears strangely indifferent as to whether or not Hunter is punished. The Guatemala minister here, Mr. Arriaga, has received nothing from his government in regard to his case. But even if Guatemala does not make the request for the delivery of the offenders they will be liable to prosecution at the complaint of friends of Fitzgerald, in case the United States waives its protection over the alleged offenders.

The tragedy may have the effect of hurrying to his post Mr. Combs of Louisville, the new minister to Central America, who succeeds Dr. Hunter. It is recognized here that Dr. Hunter's position at the Guatemalan capital can hardly remain tenable in view of the tragic events of the past few days, and for this reason he no doubt would like to be relieved soon. Mr. Combs is expected to be at Guatemala City by the first of the year.

MORE RAILROADERS HAPPY.

Cumberland Valley and G. R. & I. Join in Wage Increase.

CHAMBERSBURG, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—At the general offices of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company the announcement of 10 per cent increase in wages from November 1 was made today. The increase affects all employes permanently in the service of the company receiving less than $200 per month, excepting those whose rates of pay were revised on or after September 1 last.

RICHMOND, IND., Nov. 23.—J. H. P. Hughart, general manager of the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad Company, has announced that the road's employes will be given an advance in wages, the same as on the Pennsylvania lines. It is operated by the Pennsylvania Company.

Held for Attempted Murder.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Reginald Falkner, aged 16, was held here last evening on a charge of attempted murder growing out of a riot at a church festival at Eilersile, this county. The prosecuting witness was "Shorty" Coins. John Nerry had assisted in capturing the men who had escaped from the Huntingdon reformatory and on the night of the festival young Falkner dubbed him "deputy." That was the starting of a row, and Coins, in trying to keep peace, it is said, was assailed by the Falkner boy with stones.

STELLA MUSIC BOXES

and Victor Talking Machines, from $15 to $100. Fine, new stock just received, comprising the most notable array of these delightful home entertainers ever seen. It will pay you to call at Hamilton's old reliable music house, 335 and 337 Fifth avenue.

CHARGE OF NEGLIGENCE KILLS DESIRE TO LIVE

Lebanon, Pa., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Michael Spang died this afternoon in the city hospital from burns and scalds, increasing the death list of the boiler explosion on November 13 at the American Iron and Steel works here to 12. Spang did not want to recover, because some one during the excitement immediately following the explosion had accused him of having caused the accident by his negligence. Notwithstanding the fact that every assurance was given him that the fault was not his and that the coroner's jury declared he was not negligent in his duty, Spang persisted in wishing to die. As water tender Spang was in charge of the puddle furnace boiler which exploded. All the surviving victims are recovering. Spang was 45 years old and leaves a family in Kansas City.

LABOR UNIONS MUST MAKE MANKIND HAPPIER

Harvard President Points Out Where Organized Strength Lies.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Nov. 23.—In an address at a private meeting of the Colonial club of this city, President Eliot of Harvard made a comprehensive statement of his views on labor unions. He said that the work of the labor unions must be counted among the efforts to make the lot of mankind more satisfactory and happier and that their strength lay in their belief in this work as their mission.

He then enumerated the conditions, which he designated as humane conditions of employment—those to which laboring men may rightly aspire. First was a rising wage based on increased experience, attainments and age; second, steady employment after adequate probation; third, the opportunity for the working man to establish a permanent home; fourth, conditions which enable him to give his employer generous service and to take pride in it; fifth, the right to a pension on disability, which gives, throughout life, relief from one great anxiety, and that public consideration which goes with a steady job and a self-respecting, though humble or unobscured career.

These five conditions of humane employment, President Eliot said, were realized today in Harvard university. Plainly they were not realized in the great American industries employing unskilled labor, where the terms of service were often those of "instant dismissal."

The present antagonism of employers and the unions was the fault of both parties, but on the whole the former were more to blame because their situation was more comfortable and their education superior. The industrial community was under many obligations to unions for the evils they have mitigated, such as poor sanitary conditions in factories, an unreasonable number of hours of work, child labor and the company store.

There was no question that the labor union had come to stay. On the other hand its cause was injured by certain evils which were subversive of fundamental American doctrines of liberty. One of these evils was the limit placed on the number of apprentices, whereas, in the learned professions every encouragement was given to the training of novices.

WOMAN SLAIN IN PARIS WAS NATIVE OF OHIO

In Letters to Relatives She Often Expressed Aversion for Russian Rydzewski.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 23.—Mrs. Helen Stogdill Gore, who met a tragic death in Paris Wednesday evening, was formerly a resident of this city. With her mother and brothers, she resided on Broadway. Much of her childhood was spent near Ravenna on a farm that had been in the family for generations. Her brother, Charles D. Stogdill, is a resident of Ravenna.

Her Ohio relatives have had numerous letters from her, in many of which she expressed aversion for the Russian, De Rydzenski.

PARIS, Nov. 23.—The investigation into the circumstances of Mrs. Gore's death has made no progress during the last 48 hours and probably will remain at a standstill until Tuesday, the day fixed by the investigating magistrate for the examination of witnesses and the formality of the "reconstruction of the scene," which will take place in the room in which the tragedy occurred and in the presence of DeRydzenski. The latter will be closely cross-examined and it is expected that the scene will be reenacted as exactly as possible.

The councillor of the Russian embassy, who alone has been admitted to see De Rydzenski in the infirmary of the prison, to which he was transferred on account of a throat trouble, is quoted as saying:

"De Rydzenski is much more affected by the frightful death of his friend than by what has happened to himself. His attitude is that of an innocent man who does not doubt that the truth soon will be proclaimed."

"JACK THE SLASHER" FOUND IN HOSPITAL

Police Cannot See in Mild-Mannered German Their Much Wanted Bad Man.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.

With the seal of silence, imposed by weakness after an operation, lifted by returning strength, Charles Roth, a patient in the German hospital, Brooklyn, today confessed that he was the man who, on the night of November 13, cut, stabbed or slashed three men at the residence of William R. Gardner at Bath Beach.

The "Jack the Slasher," for whom the police of New York, armed with exact descriptions, have been searching for 10 days, turns out to be no more than a mild mannered, inoffensive looking German, a collector for a small credit agency, who asserts that, thinking Mrs. Gardner was the woman against whom he had a small account, he called at the house, to be attacked without provocation by the three men. He used his knife only when he thought his life was in danger.

Acquire Profitable Habits.

Learn the savings habit. It is much more profitable than the spending, and will be better for you in every way. A dollar or more will open an account with the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Smithfield street, opposite postoffice. Four per cent compound interest paid. Write or call for Booklet No. 26.

W. S. Bell & Co., 418 Wood st., invite you to witness a practical demonstration of the new Eastman daylight developing machine—2 to 9 p. m.—24th, 25th, 26th.

FERNAU AIRS TROUBLE IN KNIGHTS OF LABOR

Declares That Hayes Faction Is Beaten and Pittsburghers Control the Situation.

John Fernau, chairman of the executive committee of the reorganized end of the Knights of Labor, which controls what is left of the big organization launched in Pittsburgh, is home from Washington, D. C., where Judge Kimball of the police court excused him from the continued hearing today, under the charge of forcible entry and detainer at the old headquarters in Washington.

Fernau declared last night that his organization, which represents what is real of the Knights of Labor, is bound to thrive and will let the Hayes crowd take the initiative in any court proceedings. He said:

"We have our headquarters right along side of the old place in B street, northwest, and there we will do business and get out the Journal of the Knights of Labor. Instead of going into court for a writ to permit us to take possession of the old headquarters we adopted the plan which has forced Hayes to bring an action.

"His watchman was starved out from a long vigil, and he swung himself out from the second-story window, leaving it unfastened. Two of our watchmen went in with the aid of a ladder, and afterwards Master Workman Henry A. Hicks and Thomas J. Canning, secretary and treasurer, were admitted. Then the warrants were served. I will go back to Washington if required.

"The court is admitting testimony on the merits of the contention in the order, and the police court proceedings may bring in important recognition. The articles of incorporation secured by Simon Burns when he was master workman, have been accepted in evidence. There are still some witnesses to be heard, police officers, summoned for the government, as the prosecutor in the case. Then our witnesses will testify. We have as our counsel former Judges Cox and Donaldson. Hayes, who was made master workman, and I. B. Chamberlin, who was made secretary and treasurer by that crowd, have given their testimony.

"Hayes laid claim to 11 delegates at Niagara Falls, declaring that his books showed that they represented assemblies of from 50 to 300 members. They are assemblies which probably do not exist. In our Pittsburgh assembly the salespeople alone outnumber the aggregate of this several fold. Among the strong assemblies that we represent are Washington No. 66, New York No. 49, and Pittsburgh No. 3, which were with Parsons in the last fight; Boston No. 39, Brooklyn No. 128 and Cleveland No. 47, which were neutral, and snappers assembly No. 8 and the window glass workers No. 300, which were with Hayes.

MACHINISTS AT ODDS.

Mesta Machine Company's Payment for Extra Work Causes Trouble Among the Men.

Representatives of the various unions of the International Association of Machinists to the number of 125 met in mass meeting yesterday afternoon at Old City hall and contested for hours over the move of the Mesta Machine Company, whereby it is paying premiums for extra work in the course of a day. The meeting urged the associations' members of the machinists and manufacturers joint committee fight this plan, as tending to bring about a greater requirement for a day's work.

The joint committee will have a meeting to deal with this matter probably on Friday. The manufacturers hold this contention of the men as a false interpretation of union principles, declaring that such moves that prevent recognition of higher ability in men by rules of union. The Mesta company is offering its machinists extra pay for greater than the average day's work, when performed within the regular hours of the day. The men in the shop are satisfied but malcontents in the organization oppose it.

Under the machinists' agreement with their employers the men can do nothing in the matter except what is approved by the joint committee. This committee consists of George Mesta, Joseph Fawell, John Jackson, I. W. Frank and August Snyder for the manufacturers William A. Shaw, Herbert Horne, H. Campbell, S. Simpson and A. Snyder for the men.

The meeting yesterday launched a movement to create a district organization of machinists for Pittsburgh, the same as is maintained in New York and other large cities.

VANDERBILT ALLEN FIGHTS FOR LIBERTY

Man Held for Six Years as Insane Will Try to Escape Asylum.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.

Startling revelations will result, it is expected, from the inquiry which is being made in the claims of Wm. S. Vanderbilt Allen, great grandson of Commodore Vanderbilt, who, when appearing on Friday at New Rochelle before a commission appointed to adjudge him insane, said he had been kidnaped from the home of his sister in Rye, N. Y., and detained for six years in a sanitarium at Westport, Conn., shut off from all communication with the world and his friends.

Just what these revelations may be no one who is in a position to tell will disclose, but from statements made by some of them, it is to be inferred that there are persons who have reasons for wishing him out of the way.

In the opinion of several persons who have had excellent opportunity to test the man's mentality, he is perfectly sane.

VICTIM BURIED ALIVE.

Men in Jail Accused of Having Insured His Life.

EL PASO, TEX., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Upon exhuming the body of a man named Mitchell, who died mysteriously at Chihuahua, Mex., after having been insured by the men in jail here, who are charged with defrauding a New York life insurance company, it is alleged to have been discovered that the man had been buried alive.

This was shown by evidences of a struggle in the coffin, the mouth being open, the arms against the lid and the palms turned upward.

EIGHT MEN HURT IN AN EXPLOSION

Boiler of Locomotive on P., V. & C. Road Bursts With Fearful Effect.

ONE VICTIM IS DEAD

Another Man Can Scarcely Recover, and Wreckage Caused Road to Be Tied Up for Seven Valuable Hours.

By the explosion of the boiler of a locomotive on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad yesterday, eight men were injured, one dying later; the tender of a locomotive standing on another track alongside of the first one was wrecked, a number of box cars were thrown from the track and the road was tied up for seven hours.

The Dead.

JOHN MARKOVISCH, 44 years old; skull fractured; married; Duquesne; track cleaner.

The Injured.

C. S. SANG, 20 years old; No. 2702 Carson street; flagman; bruised about the face and body and suffering from contusions about the head; not expected to live.

MICHAEL MARKOVISCH, 46 years old; single, Duquesne; track cleaner; burned about the face and body.

WILLIAM LOWRY, 34 years old; Albright avenue, Scranton, Pa.; brakeman; both jaws fractured and seriously cut about the face.

JAMES H. MYERS, 42 years old; No. 2934 Mt. Pleasant street, Greensburg, Pa.; conductor; contusion of the back.

HARRY A. HUNTER, 28 years old; No. 2619 Sarah street, South Side; brakeman; burned about the face, hands and legs.

C. D. LENGER, 56 years old; Marklesburg, Pa.; brakeman; cuts about the face and burned about the face and body.

THOMAS G. KILLERD, 32 years old; married; No. 126 South Eleventh street; fireman; burned about the face and body.

Explosion Was Terrific.

The accident happened about 5:30 a. m. at Thomson, near Duquesne. On account of the congestion of freight the officers and employes of the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad, like those on other railroads, have been working day and night, and at the time the accident happened the yards were full of freight cars. On one of the tracks stood engine No. 656, one of the big class H 6 locomotives, attached to a long train of loaded freight cars. On a track alongside stood another engine, running light, and on its tender were the eight men whose names are given above. The tender on which some were standing was alongside the boiler of engine No. 656. The engineer and firemen on both locomotives were at their posts.

Suddenly the boiler of engine No. 565 exploded with a deafening report, instantly followed by the cries of wounded men and the grinding and shattering of metal and wood, while No. 656 was hurled from the rails and the tender on the other track was forced, by the impact of the exploded boiler, against a number of box cars on a third track.

Hurled About Like Straws.

The eight men on the tender were hurled in all directions, some scalded severely, others bruised by the force with which the tender was jerked from the track, while others were hurt by being thrown among the wreckage of the box cars.

The force of the explosion was almost entirely in a lateral direction, and nearly all on the side on which the tender stood. The wounded men were brought to the West Penn hospital, and John Markoviez lingered until 4:30 p. m., when he died.

Coming amid the trouble already existing on account of the freight blockade, the tearing up of the tracks and the wreckage piled in all directions promised to delay the important work of relieving the freight congestion. With the scarcity of motive power now complained of, the loss of the big engine was and will be severely felt.

Wrecking trains were sent to the scene, and hundreds of congested cars lost their turn in being moved out of the way while the wreckage was removed from the tracks. The road was almost completely blocked from the time of the accident until after 12 o'clock noon. At that hour, under the direction of Supt. A. J. Mitchell a semblance of order was restored, the smashed box cars, the ruined tender and wrecked locomotive were gotten out of the way, the tracks were repaired and the moving of the freight blockade was again under way.

COUNT CASSINI PRESENT.

Russian Ambassador Adds to Pomp and Splendor of Dedication of New Orthodox Church.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—(Special.)—In gorgeous robes, embroidered in gold and silver, and with elaborate ceremonials, more than 20 prelates and priests of the Russian church took part in the consecration of the Russian Orthodox church of St. Nicholas, in Ninety-seventh street near Fifth avenue today.

Several prominent Protestant Episcopal clergymen were present. Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador at Washington; the Countess Cassini and all the members of the ambassador's suite, in full uniform, were there, and, to add to the picturesqueness of the occasion, about a dozen Cossacks, in their brightly-colored coats and with clanking sabers, were stationed near the door of the church.

President Roosevelt Invited.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Nov. 23.—C. F. Martin, national secretary, has removed the headquarters of the National Live Stock association from Denver to Kansas City and from this point the active preparations for the annual convention, which will be held here from January 13 to 16, are being made. Among those invited to address the convention are President Roosevelt and Congressman C. H. Grosvenor of Ohio.

Distress After Eating

Nausea between meals, belching, vomiting, flatulence, fits of nervous headache, pain in the stomach, are all symptoms of dyspepsia, and the longer it is neglected the harder it is to cure it.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Radically and permanently cure it—strengthen and tone the stomach and other digestive organs for the *natural* performance of their functions.

Accept no substitute for Hood's.

"I had dyspepsia twenty-five years and took different medicines but got no help until I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Have taken four bottles of this medicine and can now eat almost anything, sleep well, have no cramps in my stomach, no burning and no distress." MRS. WILLIAM G. BARRETT, 14 Olney St., Providence, R. I.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

LEITER TO COKE NON-COKING COAL

Plunger Secures Big Contract Through Brother-in-Law Curzon.

MILLIONS ARE IN IT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Joseph Leiter, a son of Chicago's leading millionaire, who has won millions more than once in stupendous speculations, is about to close a gigantic contract with the British government in India, by which he will reap more than a few millions.

Through the influence of his sister, Lady Curzon, wife of the viceroy of India, Leiter has closed a deal by which he will equip the coal mines of India with an appliance by which bituminous coal can be changed to a steel furnace coke. This coke, it is claimed, will be equal in all respects to the famous Connellsville product.

The firm owning the coal mines in India also owns the iron mines there, and the coke which Leiter will manufacture will be used for the steel furnaces to be erected by the coal and iron mine owners.

As the Indian government is planning the purchase of millions of dollars worth of steel rails, the inauguration of Leiter's coke industry means a vast undertaking. Mr. Leiter today admitted that negotiations for the enterprise were practically closed. He stated also that by the process controlled by the Leiters, coal known heretofore as non-coking is successfully coked. Specimens of the coal mined in India sent to Mr. Leiter have been successfully coked here by his process.

LIVE WIRE NOT ENOUGH TO STOP OVERSTOCK

Takes 2,000 Volts of Electricty and Is Able to Tell About It.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Ledger Building,
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.

After coming in contact with a live wire carrying 2,000 volts of electricity, Casper Overstock, a lineman employed by the Northern Electric Light Company, fell from the top of a tall electric light pole today—and lived to tell the tale. At St. Mary's hospital, where he was taken, it was said that his injuries, besides the severe shock, consist only of a burned finger, a fractured rib and contusions of the right elbow and hip. The doctors say he will recover.

Overstock was at work on the top of a pole replacing a broken insulator, when his left hand touched a live wire. It was so strongly charged that the end of one finger was burned to a crisp. Instantly he fell backward and turned a somersault in the air.

Pedestrians hurried to the injured man's side. He was unconscious and many thought he had been killed outright. He quickly regained his senses at the hospital, however.

Evacuation of Shanghai Begins.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 23.—The evacuation of this city by the foreign garrisons has begun, the Japanese being the first to withdraw their troops.

FINDS HIS LOVE YOKED TO PLOW

Nephew of Duke of Portland Gives Up Fortune for Beautiful Doukhobor Girl.

POSSIBLY LOSES TITLE

Appeals of Friends Are in Vain. Young Man Joins Curious Band of Religious Fanatics and Renounces His Family.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

QUEBEC, Nov. 23.—Arthur Fortesque, nephew of the duke of Portland, one of England's proudest nobles, has renounced the world of luxury for the sake of a Russian peasant girl, whom he first saw in Manitoba, yoked to a plow with a number of other Doukhobor women.

Such is the remarkable news contirmed from England today. For the greater part of his life Arthur Fortesque has been a rover. A few months ago while crossing the continent he visited and became deeply interested in the colony of Russian religious enthusiasts. One day he saw a score of women harnessed to a plow, breaking the prairie.

The peculiar belief of the Doukhobors does not permit them to enslave dumb animals and compel them against their will to work for them.

Among the women at the plow was a young girl of such beauty as the Englishman had never before seen. Her name was Olga Yarlnhoff. The young scion of British nobility fell deeply in love with the peasant girl. He was not slow to confess his passion, and was received into membership of the Doukhobor colony. He renounced the faith of his fathers and determined to take the Russian girl as his bride.

Discussion on the part of his relatives proved useless and the wedding ceremony was not long delayed. The Englishman and the plow girl were made man and wife according to strange rites of the community. The young man, who is an honor graduate of Oxford and a noted athlete, surrendered a fortune and possibly a title. He says he will never return to England and assures the peasant community that he will always be a loyal adherent and live the same life with them.

DOCK VICTIMS RESCUED.

One Workman Still Missing from the Scene of the Big Fire at Ashland.

ASHLAND, WIS., Nov. 23.—With the exception of a workman named Leo, who is missing, there are no additional casualties from the burning of the Wisconsin Central ore docks here yesterday. Including Leo, three lost their lives. Those who jumped into the bay were rescued or swam ashore, while many workmen, who appeared to be cut off by flames from possible escape, managed to reach places of safety.

The remains of Gus Anderson were found today and were identified by his friends. The body was dismembered and badly burned. Vivian Young is the only one of the injured whose wounds may prove fatal.

Officials of the Wisconsin Central Railroad Company were here today, and it was announced that work on a new dock will begin immediately. The company carried $173,000 insurance on the dock.

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KILLED, ROBBED, THROWN IN DITCH

Guiseppe Fiarino Murdered in Fight With Negro Highwayman.

BODY IS THEN HIDDEN

After Pockets of Victim Are Rifled, Corpse Is Rolled Into Gutter and Covered With Leaves.

While defending himself from a highwayman, Guiseppe Fiarino, an Italian, was shot and killed at the head of Chestnut street, Carnegie, shortly after 7 o'clock Saturday night. The Italian's pockets were then rifled and his body rolled into a ditch and covered with leaves. The assailant and robber made his escape. The murdered man had been working for H. L. Galbraith, a contractor on the Wabash railroad. The bullet struck him in the heart and he died instantly.

The murder and robbery is similar to many others that have been committed along the Wabash railroad construction. Fiarino, Antonio Renda and Giovoni Ruggere had just received their pay from Contractor Galbraith. The trio were coming down the hill from Chestnut street into Carnegie. As they reached the stable tents at Contractor Russell's camp, a colored man stepped from behind the tent and stopped them.

"Give me your money," he demanded.

"I have no money. I have to work for my money," replied Fiarino.

Renda and Ruggere ran and left their companion to protect himself. They said yesterday they heard a shot as they ran. They were too frightened to stop, but went on into Carnegie. Both men said Fiarino started to fight with the colored man when they ran.

About a half hour afterward they returned to the place of the shooting with Constable G. W. Foster. With a lantern they looked around the tents for Fiarino. They were unable to find him and returned to their camp.

Yesterday morning they visited the place again and found Fiarino's body lying in a ditch covered with leaves. The murderer rifled his pockets and took about $18. A strange incident of the murder and robbery was then discovered. At the Galbraith camp Fiarino was paid $12 and had about $12 besides. The robber took only $5 50 of this amount and put the balance in the envelope and placed it in Fiarino's pocket. His silver watch was also found in his pocket.

The motive for this is mysterious. A search was made in both Russell's and Galbraith's camps yesterday morning for any negro that might be missing. The colored employes at both camps were found to be attending to their usual duties.

Sidney Johnston, a colored man employed by Russell, says several strange negroes were seen about supper time last night walking in the direction of the stable where Fiarino was murdered.

Coroner's Physician Walter G. McCandless made a post mortem examination of the body yesterday and found the bullet had entered the left breast, penetrating the heart and lodging in the right lung. Fiarino is the 10th man who has been killed along the Wabash railroad construction. He was 21 years old and single.

POPE WILL WAIT.

Answer of His Holiness When Promised Visit from Archbishop Bruchesi Three Years Hence.

ROME, Nov. 23.—The pope today gave a farewell private audience to Archbishop Bruchesi of Montreal. His holiness afterwards went to the throne room, where Mgr. Bruchesi presented to him all the Canadians now in Rome, numbering 60, including several Protestants from the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

The pope said he was delighted to see the Canadians, and gave his benediction to them all.

On leaving, Archbishop Bruchesi said: "I hope to see your holiness on my next visit to Rome three years hence." The pope promptly replied:

"I will wait for you."

THE WEATHER.

Fair.

The sunshine and blue sky, which tempered yesterday's breezes, will, according to the forecast sent out from Washington last night, be with us again, but without the disagreeable wind and low temperature which were the only deleterant atmospheric influences on an otherwise perfect Sabbath. The Gazette's weather service thermometers at Kaufmann's corner registered these temperatures yesterday.

12 noon	40 deg.	8 p. m.	41 deg.
4 p. m.	43 deg.	12 midnight.	40 deg.

Time of sunrise today ..... 6:57 a. m.
Time of sunset today ..... 4:56 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.08	36	82	N. W.	Clear
8 p. m.	29.96	43	65	S. W.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation the past six years:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	43	71	54	39	36	58
Minimum	39	42	37	28	27	34
Mean	41	56	46	36	32	46
Precipitation	.48	.12	.70	.01	0	T.

Maximum temperature (2 p. m.) 46
Minimum temperature (8 a. m.) 36
Mean temperature 41
Normal temperature (for 31 years) 39
Excess in temperature for the day 2
Excess in temperature since Nov. 1 249
Excess in temperature since Jan. 1 212
Normal precipitation (for 31 years) ..... .97
Precipitation for the day 0
Deficiency in precipitation for the day ..... .97
Deficiency in precipitation since Nov. 1 ..... 1.51
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1 ..... 5.58

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia—Fair and warmer Monday; Tuesday, increasing cloudiness; fresh to brisk southwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburg	43 Clear	Washington	46 Clear
Cincinnati	48 Clear	Gd. Haven	48 Cloudy
Indianap's	46 Cloudy	Jacksonville	62 Clear
Parkersb'g	44 Clear	New Orleans	68 PtCldy
Columbus	42 Clear	Norfolk	50 Clear
Cairo	52 Cloudy	Philadelphia	46 Clear
Kansas City	54 Cloudy	New York	44 Clear
Louisville	48 Clear	Buffalo	46 PtCldy
Memphis	62 Cloudy	Cleveland	44 Clear
Vicksburg	66 Clear	Chicago	46 Clear.
St. Louis	54 Cloudy		

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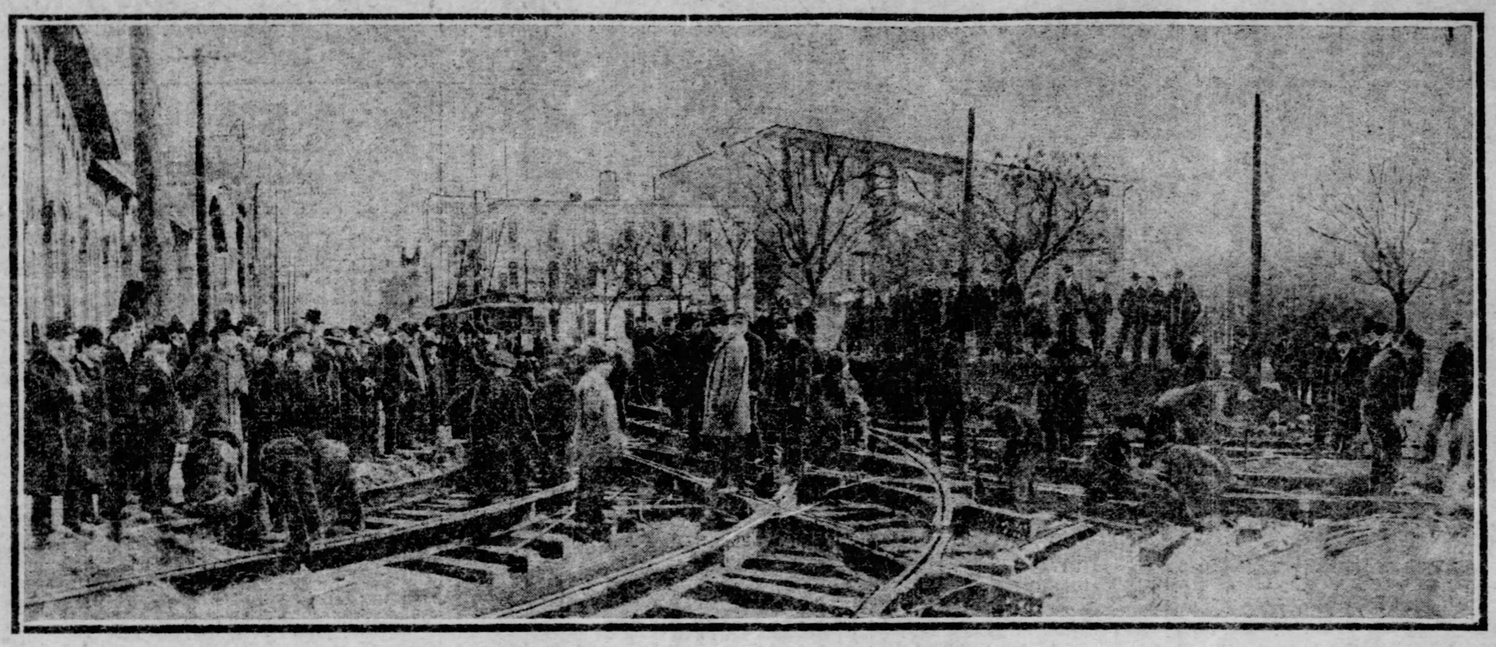

Busy Scenes Were Presented All Day Yesterday at Federal and Ohio Streets in Allegheny.

The large gang of men put to work by the Pittsburgh Railways Company Saturday night at Federal and Ohio streets, in Allegheny, making changes in the tracks at that point so that cars coming down Federal street from points north of Ohio can continue on down Federal street to the Sixth street bridge, worked all day yesterday, and during the entire day were watched by large and curious crowds. It seemed as though all the over-the-river Sunday promenaders gravitated toward that central corner and at times the throng was so great as to threaten to interfere with the laborers. The Bellevue, Avalon and Perrysville avenue cars will be run down Federal street and cross over the Sixth street bridge, and the Charles street, Brighton road, East street, Troy Hill and Millvale and Etna cars will be run down Sandusky street. The change will relieve the congestion on Sandusky street. It is likely that further work will have to be done next Sunday.

LABOR LEAGUE DENOUNCES IT

Attempt of Anthracite Operators to Head Off Arbitration Is Taken Up.

CALLS UPON ROOSEVELT

Resolution Asks Him to Take Action—League Votes to Bring Suit Against Workhouse Officials and Depose Supt. Hill.

The United Labor League of Western Pennsylvania, which now claims to represent a body of 70,000 working people, last night denounced, by unanimous vote, the alleged effort to settle the anthracite strike differences outside of the commission appointed by President Roosevelt, on the ground that it would stay the promised success of the miners and prevent revelations of alleged unlawful practices of the operators.

The league voted to bring action in court against the officers of the Allegheny county workhouse, for the alleged practice of hiring out the prisoners for outside work, and to depose Superintendent William Hill, on the allegation that he is not a resident of Clairmont and is thereby ineligible to act in his capacity. The league passed the amendment to its constitution, intended to prevent the packing of its sessions by any faction, as was done during the recent political squabble in the organization.

Calls Upon Roosevelt.

The resolutions in the matter of the anthracite strike, a copy of which is to be sent by Secretary William A. Shaw of the league to President Roosevelt, are as follows:

Whereas, This body has learned through the daily press that the hearings by the arbitration commission lately appointed by President Roosevelt, to investigate and adjust the difficulties now and heretofore existing in the anthracite regions of this commonwealth, has been temporarily discontinued, in the hope that amicable adjustment of said difficulties may be arrived at by two of the interested parties, i. e., the operators and the miners, leaving out of consideration the third and most vitally interested party, i. e., the public.

Whereas, It is also very broadly intimated through the public press that the alleged overture has come from the coal operators, and that one of the most pressing reasons why they are now so ready to settle their difficulties out of court is the fact that they have ascertained that John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, is in possession of such evidence as would lead to the conviction of some, if not all, of the operators of a violation of the laws of the United States, and that they fear that President Mitchell may produce said evidence, and their object now is to cover up and hide the same, therefore,

Want Evidence Made Public.

Resolved, By the United Labor League of Western Pennsylvania, in regular session assembled, that we call on the president of the United States if the above statement shall prove to be true, to use his power for the public good and prevent, if at all possible, the covering up and hiding of evidence, which may tend to convict the guilty, believing, as we do, that he who assists or consents in the suppression of such evidence becomes a party to the crime and himself a criminal.

The league heard the report of its committee, which has been investigating alleged violations of convict labor law at the workhouse. This committee, consisting of M. O'Sullivan, Frank E. Smith and Henry W. Logleitner was continued with the addition of George Boyd and J. J. Zimmer, and empowered and directed to secure counsel to prosecute the matter. The committee reported that Superintendent Hill had declared to them that he would run his institution to suit himself till he received orders from the court to the contrary.

NEWS FROM THE SUBURBS.

—A handsome pipe organ, the gift of Andrew Carnegie, was installed last week in the Sewickley Baptist church and arrangements are being made for an organ recital in the near future.

—The board of managers of the Sewickley Fresh Air Home report that during the past season 186 children and 10 mothers were entertained at the home on Big Sewickley creek, and that they have a balance of $960.

—W. V. Taylor of Philadelphia started to work as a brakeman on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad three days ago. Last night while coupling cars in the McKees Rocks yards he had his right arm torn from the socket. He was sent to the West Penn hospital.

—M. J. O'Keefe was committed to jail last night by Thomas Pascoe, justice of the peace of Carnegie, on charges of felonious assault and battery and resisting an officer, made by Chief of Police George Foster. Officer Robert Haubricht attempted to arrest O'Keefe on Saturday night and had a hard struggle, in which the officer's shoulder was broken.

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HIGHLAND ZOO'S NEW TAPIR LOST IN FREIGHT CONGESTION

Somewhere between Pittsburgh and New York in an isolated cattle car tied up in a congested freight yard is a solitary tapir, destined for the Highland park zoo. It was expected last week and is now 10 days overdue. Zoo Manager Tretow is at a loss to explain its whereabouts except to say that it is tied up in the freight congestion.

Ten thousand people were disappointed yesterday in not seeing the animal at the menagerie and Mr. Tretow is thinking about his tapir and is worried over the animal's sustenance on its tedious trip.

"I don't think the tapir will succumb," said Mr. Tretow. "It is a freak all over, you know. Its freakishness begins at the tip of its nose and ends at its hind feet. Its proboscis is about 10 inches long and as mobile as an elephant's trunk. It has four toes on its fore feet and three toes in the rear.

"It is built like a pig and acts like a deer. It lives in the water and dines on high ground. It is the originator of that great summer resort pastime, shooting the chutes.

"No, I think the tapir will get here all right some of these days. It can easily reach out of the car with its long nose and forage enough food to keep its stomach in good trim. It has lots of water in the car, and when the railroad people discover that it has eaten everything along the road and on the station platforms they will attach its car on the limited and bring it through before the company is bankrupt. As a solution of the problem of freight congestion I would respectfully recommend a shipment of tapirs."

WOODWARD ECCENTRIC MORAL DEGENERATE

His Life May Be Saved by Appeal to Board of Pardons.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Ledger Building,
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.

Paul Woodward, the Camden youth who has been sentenced to be hanged January 7, is one of the most eccentric degenerates known to criminologists. His case may reach the pardon board, but not through any desire upon the part of the prisoner. Without hesitation he declared that he prefers death to imprisonment; that he would rather be in the grave than looking out of an iron cage.

Woodward murdered two little boys. Robbery was his motive. He gave them strychnine. His attorneys, as a defense, offered an unsatisfactory alibi, based upon the testimony of his parents and two negroes. Had they set up the plea of mental and moral irresponsibility, of hereditary insanity, admitting the guilt of the accused, and helped the prosecution to portray the awful fiendishness that characterized the tragedy, Woodward's life might have been saved.

That he is mentally unsound no one who has seen him doubts. His head, face, eyes, mouth, leering smile, walk, vile language, all stamp him as a degenerate of the most vicious and dangerous type.

Although but 24 years of age, he has a record of debauchery, of criminal indulgencies, which men could not hear without a shudder. It is inbred. His mother has been in prison, and ancestral responsibility for his moral perversion is easily traced. For ten years he had done nothing but burn cigarettes and corrupt the youth with whom he came into contact. He knew no restraint, paternal or otherwise, until placed in the dock with the noose dangling before him.

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Many Sign Temperance Pledge.

St. Brigid's Total Abstinence society met in St. Brigid's Roman Catholic church and listened to addresses by H. W. Wensen, William McLaughlin, W. J. Friel, E. J. McManus, J. Driscoll and the Rev. Martin Ryan. A large number signed the pledge. The society will give a reception in the basement of the church on Thanksgiving evening.

Complaints Caused Crap-Players Sorrow

Police Captain John Bittner, Lieutenant Thomas Martin and a squad of South Side patrolmen started out yesterday afternoon to investigate complaints made by the Wabash tunnel contractors. When they got within hearing distance of an old house in Woodville avenue, it was evident that there was ground for the complaint. The noise of a confusion of voices could be heard and often there would rise above the veritable babel of tongues the earnest entreaty, "Come seben, come 'leben." Eight colored "crap" players, including Charles Biggs, the alleged proprietor, against whom the complaints of the contractors were principally directed, were arrested and locked in the West End station.

TWENTY-THREE YEARS WERE CELEBRATED

Lawrenceville Branch of Y. M. C. A. Had Its Anniversary Last Night.

The twenty-third anniversary of the Lawrenceville branch of the Young Men's Christian association of Pittsburgh was celebrated last night in the Lawrenceville United Presbyterian church. The services were opened by the reading of a scripture lesson by the Rev. J. B. McIsaacs. The address of the evening was made by the Rev. W. E. McCollough of the Hamilton Avenue United Presbyterian church, who spoke on "The Young Man and His Relation to Society."

W. W. Shields read the chairman's report. He said the work in general had varied but little from former years. It had been hindered by misfortune to the executive heads. Kingsley A. Ballantyne, the general secretary, was forced to resign at the opening of the year, through illness, and his successor, A. N. Goldfinch of Corry, was also compelled to give up the work on account of ill health. Without the aid of an experienced leader the association stood firm, and the membership during the year grew from 250 to 275.

The evening classes of the Central association were attended by 79 of the Lawrenceville members, the best showing made by any branch during the year. The reading room was used by 18,220 men. A number of social evenings were held and six entertainments given.

Wedding at Edgeworth Today.

Miss Hortense Elane Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watts, will be married today to Robert W. Dickson, at the home of her parents in Edgeworth. It will not be a large affair; only close friends and relatives will be present. The Rev. John W. Moody, formerly of the Sewickley Baptist church, will officiate, and in the bridal party will be Miss Jane Morris of Philadelphia, Elizabeth Snow of Greenfield, Mass.; Miss Clyde Nichols of Sewickley, Dr. Matthew A. Graff of Shields, Thomas E. Graff and Percy V. Stowe of Edgeworth.

HAPPENINGS OF THE DAY.

—Ten cases of smallpox were reported yesterday and the patients sent to the Municipal hospital.

—The police have been asked to locate Peter Willschier of No. 42 Lawrence street. He is 16 years of age, and is said to have run away from home.

—A still alarm of fire was sent to No. 2 engine company at 3 o'clock yesterday, for a small blaze in the basement of Christy's drug store, at Fourth avenue and Smithfield street.

—A 300-pound cake of ice fell on Stephen Butterley's right foot at the Thirteenth street plant of the Consolidated Ice Company yesterday. He was sent to the West Penn hospital.

—Detectives Edward B. Barry and Frank Milholland yesterday arrested Reese Calwalder, a waiter employed in W. M. Tobin's restaurant at No. 4317 Butler street, who is alleged to have stolen $32 from the cash register.

—Patrick McAvoy of the Thirty-fifth ward was found lying on Woodville avenue in a semi-conscious condition early yesterday morning, and was taken to the Homeopathic hospital. He became ill and in falling injured his back severely.

—Charles Altstatt, charged with assault and battery by Matt Hart, gave bail for his appearance at court before Magistrate J. J. McGarey yesterday. Hart alleges that Altstatt is one of a crowd of men who assaulted him on Boggs avenue a few nights ago.

—A. M. Crosby of New York was arrested at the Sherman house in Water street yesterday, on a charge of robbing Thomas Houlihan of No. 4810 Scioto street of $40. The two men went to bed together, but Crosby got up first, and is alleged to have gone through Houlihan's clothes.

—John Kaselika, aged 35 years, a Slav living at No. 2 Furnace row, Woods Run, was run down by a Hanover and Preble avenue car early yesterday morning at Ontario street and Preble avenue. At the St. John's hospital his left leg was amputated at the knee and it is thought the right leg will also be removed.

JABS IN THROAT PROVED FATAL

Mrs. Mollie Burnstine's Attempt at Suicide Was Successful.

MANY KILLED BY TRAINS

Accidents Numerous on Railroads Around Pittsburgh—Lamp Explosion Caused Death of Girl. Other Cases for the Coroner.

From the effects of injuries inflicted with suicidal intent, Mrs. Mollie Burnstine, 28 years old, of No. 3 Hamilton avenue, Duquesne, died at the McKeesport hospital last night. Last Tuesday she cut her throat with a piece of steel, which she had sharpened for the purpose. Piercing her throat three times in almost the same place she inflicted a wound that was too much for the physicians to overcome. She was taken to the hospital immediately and lingered until yesterday.

The woman was despondent because of ill health. She had been ill for several months and was confined to her room. She was making little progress toward recovery and became disheartened. On Tuesday she went into the yard and got a long strip of steel. Sharpening it to a point, similar to a darning needle, she pierced it into her throat three times. Her mother heard her groaning in her room, and when she reached her side, found her suffering great pain and bleeding freely.

Physicians were summoned and she was taken to the hospital. While she was in the infirmary she declared her willingness to get well. She injured her throat so badly with the needle that her recovery was impossible.

John Toth, 35 years old, a miner of McKeesport, died in the McKeesport hospital yesterday of injuries received Saturday, while working in the mine of the Pittsburgh Coal Company near Arnold City. He was working an electric cutter and became entangled in the machinery.

Joseph Hodgson, 79 years old, of Carnegie, died suddenly at his home yesterday of heart disease.

Milta Robidy of West Elizabeth, 30 years old, was killed on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad at Clairton yesterday morning. He was walking on the tracks and crossed over in front of the train to avoid one coming on the other track.

Leo Perentinore, No. 8 Fleming park, McKees Rocks, three months old, was found dead in bed yesterday morning.

J. S. Cravener, 45 years old, Swissvale, was killed on the Pennsylvania railroad crossing at that place yesterday morning by engine No. 3. He attempted to run across the tracks in front of the train.

James Bond, Sharpsville, brakeman, 27 years old, died at the West Penn hospital yesterday of injuries received on the West Penn railroad at Sharpsville Saturday.

Mary Passant, 12 years old of No. 610 Webster avenue, died yesterday morning of burns received on Saturday. The girl was carrying a lamp down stairs and dropped it. The lamp exploded and set fire to her dress. She was burned about the body.

Robert Whittaker, 35 years old, of No. 6 Fifty-fifth street, dropped dead while walking on his porch last night shortly after 7 o'clock from heart disease. He was a driver for the Iron City Brewing Company and leave a wife and three children.

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PIANIST STARTS RIOT, BUT GAINS TRIUMPH

Anti-Foreign Element in Paris Objects to American and Police Are Called.

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PARIS, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Bloomfield Zeisler of Chicago, the pianist, scored a notable triumph at the sixth subscription concert given by the famous Lamoureux orchestra at the Nouveau theater this afternoon.

Only once before has an American been permitted to take part in the program of this exclusive organization.

When Mrs. Zeisler appeared on the stage, a noisy anti-foreign demonstration occurred, necessitating the intervention of the municipal guards on duty at the theater to suppress it.

The artiste won her way to favor, however, in spite of the demonstration, the audience rising in enthusiastic approval, with the composer Moszkowski leading the bravos, at the close of her performance.

Steamer Sinks Codfish Schooner.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Nov. 23.—The British steamer Damara, Capt. Goret, from Halifax for Liverpool, via St. Johns, while entering port last evening collided with and sank the schooner Shamrock, laden with codfish. The schooner's crew was rescued by the steamer, which was not damaged.

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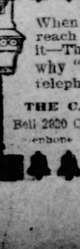

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Independent Operators Say They Can Complicate Matters Looking to an Agreement With the Miners If They Care to Do So.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SCRANTON, PA., Nov. 23.—The position to be taken by the independent coal operators with regard to the tentative agreement between the large coal companies and the mine workers to settle their dispute outside the anthracite coal strike commission, but with the conciliatory assistance of the arbitrators, has not yet been definitely decided upon. The independents held a meeting last night at which were present the representatives of about 26 companies and a committee of nine was appointed to go to New York on Tuesday for the purpose of meeting the presidents of the coal-carrying railroads and learn from them what the independent companies are to expect, providing they agree to go along and adjust the labor dispute without arbitration.

This decision was not reached until the independent operators' attorney, Ira H. Burns of Scranton had made a report of the conference he attended at which were present all the attorneys for the large companies and the miners and the "conciliation" or sub-committee of the commission.

Until they learn what the large companies intend to do the independents will make no positive stand, beyond that which they took in the hearing before the commission on Saturday. That was to the effect that they object to the commission approving any agreement in which the independent operators are not included.

The independents say they can complicate matters if they cared to, but feel it would not be fair to the public or themselves to do so. While it has not been officially stated, it is understood that whatever agreement is submitted to the strike commission for approval, it must first have to be approved by all the companies.

A common remark heard in the anthracite region is "that no matter what the big companies do the smaller concerns will have to go along."

While nothing has been agreed upon the best forecast that can be made at this time is that the men will receive in the neighborhood of a 10 per cent increase, a nine-hour day, the weighing of coal to be adjusted as best it can, and agreement between the men and the companies by whom they are employed. The agreements, it is expected, will run for two or three years, from November 1.

NEW ROAD TO CROSS CANADA

Grand Trunk Railway Will Build Line From Ocean to Ocean.

WILL COST $100,000,000

Necessary Legislation Must Be Obtained from Parliament. Project to Be Carried Out in Most Modern Character.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MONTREAL, QUE., Nov. 23.—Canada is to have a second trans-continental railway, extending from ocean to ocean. The announcement was made today by Charles M. Hays, second vice president and general manager of the Grand Trunk railway. The construction of the new line will be begun as soon as the necessary legislation can be obtained from the Canadian parliament. The Grand Trunk will be behind the new road and will operate it, but as in the case of the Grand Trunk lines west of the Detroit river, it will be constructed under a separate corporate name, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company.

The new line, according to Mr. Hays' statement, will have mileage of about 3,000 miles, and the construction, including equipment, stations, bridges, ships and other facilities, will involve an expenditure of from $75,000,000 to $100,000,000.

According to the present arrangement the new system will run through that portion of Northern Ontario known as New Ontario, starting from North Bay or Gravenhurst, Ont., and extending through Manitoba, the northwest territories and British Columbia, to Bute Inlet, or Port Simpson, B. C., as later may be determined upon. The line will be of the most modern character, having in view especially low grades, long tangents, steel bridges and heavy rails, as well as ample station facilities and equipment for the handling of freight and passenger traffic.

"No one," said Mr. Hays, "who has been studying the wonderful developments that have taken place in the northwest during the last few years, can fail to be deeply impressed with the growth of that extensive and rich territory, and our directors feel that, in view of the apparent need of additional railway facilities and in order to guarantee to the present Grand Trunk system direct connection with that very important and growing section of Canada, the only wise policy is to take active steps towards this extension."

The building of this trans-continental route has been under consideration by the Grand Trunk directorate for some time, but it was only during Mr. Hays' recent visit to England that it has decided to carry out the project at as early a date as possible.

Mrs. Tupman, a prominent lady of Richmond, Va., a great sufferer with woman's troubles, tells of her cure by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For some years I suffered with backache, severe bearing-down pains, leucorrhœa, and falling of the womb. I tried many remedies, but nothing gave any positive relief.

"I commenced taking **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** in June, 1901. When I had taken the first half bottle, I felt a vast improvement, and have now taken ten bottles with the result that I feel like a new woman. When I commenced taking the Vegetable Compound I felt all worn out and was fast approaching complete nervous collapse. I weighed only 98 pounds. Now I weigh 109½ pounds and am improving every day. I gladly testify to the benefits received."—MRS. R. C. TUPMAN, 423 West 30th St., Richmond, Va.

When a medicine has been successful in more than a million cases, is it justice to yourself to say, without trying it, "I do not believe it would help me"?

Surely you cannot wish to remain weak and sick and discouraged, exhausted with each day's work. You have some derangement of the feminine organism, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you just as surely as it has others.

Mrs. W. H. Pelham, Jr., 108 E. Baker St., Richmond, Va., says:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I must say that I do not believe there is any female medicine to compare with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I return to you my heartfelt thanks for what your medicine has done for me. Before taking the Vegetable Compound I was so badly off that I thought I could not live much longer. The little work I had to do was a burden to me. I suffered with irregular menstruation and leucorrhœa, which caused an irritation of the parts. I looked like one who had consumption, but I do not look like that now, and I owe it all to your wonderful medicine.

"I took only six bottles, but it has made me feel like a new person. I thank God that there is such a female helper as you."

Be it, therefore, believed by all women who are ill that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine they should take. It has stood the test of time, and it has hundreds of thousands of cures to its credit. Women should consider it unwise to use any other medicine.

Mrs. Pinkham, whose address is Lynn, Mass., will answer cheerfully and without cost all letters addressed to her by sick women. Perhaps she has just the knowledge that will help your case—try her to-day—it costs nothing.

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Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

OIL MEN CONSULT MEDIUM. SHE DELIVERS THE GOODS

Cleveland, O., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—A number of business men of this city are congratulating themselves over the faith of one of their number in the powers of a medium, who was consulted relative to the sinking of an oil well in Van Wert county.

Capt. Powell of the Kear-Jukes Producing Company, which has large leases in Wilshire township of that county, showed the medium the blue prints of the company's property.

She went into a trance and he asked:

"Where shall we sink the first well?"

"There," said the medium, placing her finger on the blue print.

The location was carefully noted and the well sunk accordingly. The well was completed yesterday and the flow is estimated at 10 barrels per day, and its capacity is expected to reach at least 50 when the work is completed.

WILCOX STARTED MOVE TO SETTLE BIG STRIKE

Wayne MacVeagh Gives Inside History of Sudden Change at Scranton.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Ledger Building, PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.

Wayne MacVeagh, chief counsel of the coal carrying roads in their case with the anthracite miners, now being heard by the arbitration commission, tonight made his first public statement bearing upon the direct negotiations between the operators and the miners for an amicable adjustment of differences.

"The parties on both sides were contesting every inch of ground when the great railroad corporations volunteered an advance of 10 per cent of the wages of their employes," said Mr. MacVeagh, "and their employes are popularly supposed to be exceptionally well paid and well treated, having regular employment, large relief funds and, in some instances, pensions.

"As soon as such advance was announced it seemed to be taken for granted that a like advance would now be granted the miners, and the question of wages being out of the way, there was a general feeling in favor of trying to adjust the other differences. The first move in real connection was made by the Delaware & Hudson Company. Mr. Wilcox, its vice president and general counsel, prepared an agreement which his company was willing to accept, but it did not prove satisfactory to the other companies.

"While I was still cross-examining Mr. Mitchell, I was asked to meet him and his counsel in conference to make an effort to reach some adjustment of an amicable nature. We discussed the matter in dispute at great length, and at last, by the invaluable assistanec of E. E. Thomas, the president of the two companies I represent, the basis, as he thought, of a prompt adjustment was reached, and when it was submitted to the other gentlemen they all concurred with Mr. Thomas in approving it as a basis of negotiations.

"Personally, I earnestly hope such negotiations will result in amicable agreements between the different companies and their employes, for I believe such agreements will be more likely to inaugurate an era of industrial peace throughout the region than a decision by the commission, but if agreements cannot be framed, the commission stands ready to decide all matters the parties cannot adjust between themselves." CHESTER D. POTTER.

Great Throng at Bijou Services.

Fully 3,800 people attended the religious services at the Bijou theater yesterday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. S. Edward Young. More than 300 called for prayer.

Thanksgiving Day Excursions Via Pennsylvania Lines.

November 26th and 27th excursion tickets will be sold at ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines to stations on those lines within a radius of 150 miles. Return limit November 28th.

JACK FROST DRIVES CROWDS TO SHELTER

His Presence in Parks Was Not Relished by Visitors. Throngs at Art Galleries.

Jack Frost was the first park visitor in Pittsburgh yesterday. He went out on the early car and in consequence of his presence the attendance was not as large as usual. Old Sol stepped in at noon, but was unable to banish the frigid intruder.

Yesterday was the first time this season that Jack had a chance to look in on the beauties of Schenley park. Of course, some of his imps were there a month ago to make their annual gathering of bright foliage, but yesterday was the first Sunday that the king of the domain of icicles and snow and chilly winds had tarried at the park.

The people all seemed anxious to keep out of his reach and the crowds that sought refuge in the Phipps conservatory and the Carnegie institute lingered longer than has been the custom of Sunday visitors. As in honor of Jack's advent the women came out in their newest furs and plumed velvet millinery and the park throng resembled a fashionable promenade.

There is still a feast of beauty in the conservatory and yesterday's visitors enjoyed a view of some of the finest blooms of the year. The Chinese primroses are at their best and many lordly chrysanthemums are still to be seen. The number of visitors exceeded 10,000.

The attendance at the museum was the greatest since Founder's Day. It seemed that all the visitors were all amateur naturalists and the majority of the crowd spent all their time before the cases containing specimens of the mounted animals and the fossils.

A party of art lovers in the Carnegie galleries during the afternoon decided to find which was the favorite painting by watching the visitors as they made the rounds of the walls and noting the amount of time spent before the various canvases. After an hour they decided that the favorite was Gerome's picture of the fighting gladiators, "Pollice Verso." The works of Corot and VanDyck were next in popularity.

It was necessary to close the doors several times during Edwin H. Lemare's organ recital in the music hall. More than 3,000 persons heard the music and the figures for the attendance at the recital on the previous night showed the largest turnout of the year—for a Saturday recital.

The animals at the Highland park zoo were at home to 10,000 people yesterday. Everybody looked for the new tapir, but it had not arrived.

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—In clover leaf borders, with centers beautified with a wavy ribbon design, broken at intervals with a floral figure.
—In blue bell centers with leaf borders.
—In small chrysanthemum centers, with large chrysanthemum borders.
—In tulip centers, with leaf borders.
—In clover leaf centers with Grecian borders.
—In poppy and lily of the valley centers with open borders.
—In pansy centers with leaf borders.

Other Good Cloths.

—Full bleached all-linen Irish Damask in spot patterns, floral designs and set figures, 70 inches wide, for 50c a yard.

—72-inch Table Linens, somewhat finer in quality, but otherwise practically the same as the above, for 69c a yard.

—72-inch full bleached Scotch Satin Damask, in pansy, fleur de lis and chrysanthemum patterns, also in 5-inch satin striped patterns with graceful vine and rose bud figures woven across, also in snowdrop patterns, for $1 per yard.

—Hemstitched German silver bleached Table Cloths in three patterns and four sizes—a line we are closing out at special figures:
—8-4 size for $1.29.
—10-4 size for $1.98.
—12-4 size for $2.75.
—14-4 size for $3.00.

—Full bleached Pattern Table Cloths, 10-4 size, slightly soiled. A small lot of $5.00 cloths cut to $3.00.

—Full bleached Table Sets, consisting of 10-4 cloth and one dozen napkins to match —something particularly pleasing for the Thanksgiving table at $6.00, $7.50, $10.00, $12 and $15 per set.

—These same sets with 12-4 cloth in place of the smaller size for $7.50, $10, $15 and $20 per set.

—Full bleached fringed Table Cloths, fine German Damask:
8-4 size for 98c, good quality.
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Heavy All-Linen Napkins, 20 inches square, for $1.00 per dozen.

Extra fine All-Linen Napkins, 20 inches square, for $1.29 per dozen.

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Hemstitched Tray Clothes, size 18x27 inches, for 15c.

Hemstitched Table Squares, 30 inches each way, for 29c.

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Mail Orders. Mail Orders received on Tuesday will be filled at once, so that if the express companies are prompt you will get your linens in time for use on Thursday. But they're worth sending for in any event, even if you desire to hold them in reserve for the Christmas feast—or use them for Christmas gifts.

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The $40 sets are splendid pieces of cabinet work, in polished quartered oak, with spring seats, upholstered in fine leather. One large arm chair and six side chairs.

Sideboards. Our range of prices is from $10 to $60. The $10 sideboards have one large linen drawer, two small drawers (one lined for silver), a double-door closet and French bevel plate mirror. The wood is golden oak.

At $29.75 we have a particularly desirable sideboard in quartered oak, 48 inches long, with fancy French plate mirror. This sideboard has a shaped front. The fine polish finish, carving and trimmings show unmistakable marks of expert cabinet-making.

Our $60 sideboard is likewise in quartered oak, very massive, 5 feet long, with heavy rope twist columns, 18x36-inch French bevel plate mirror, heavy cast brass trimmings, and all the unmistakable marks of highest excellence.

China Closets. These come in quartered oak, with round or square corners, wood or glass shelves, single or double doors, with or without mirror-tops. Our prices range from $17.50 to $50.

The $17.50 china closet is in quartered oak, with bent glass ends, adjustable shelves, one large glass door, and comes in two styles—one with and the other without the mirror on top.

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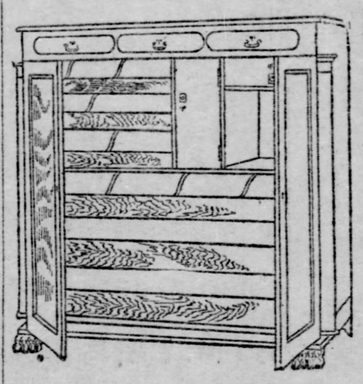

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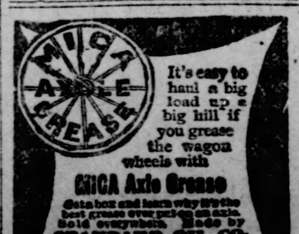

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ADVANCE MAY BE A LITTLE LESS

Small Railroads Make Protest Against Sharp Rise in Freight Rates.

EFFECTIVE NEW YEAR'S

Those Close to High Officials Say the Rates Will Go Up as Announced—Railroad Men Try to Lessen the Shock.

There is a bare hope that the heavy shippers of Pittsburgh, the mills and furnaces, that contribute most of the tremendous tonnage of the district, may not have to submit to as sharp an advance in the commodity rates in their traffic as leading executives of the trunk lines and Central Freight association territory decided on last week. Some of the less important of the lines in the territory west of Pittsburgh are demurring at the advance being made as sharp as intended. Action will be taken by the Trunk Line association in New York today and the Central Freight association in Chicago tomorrow.

On last Tuesday Presidents Cassatt of the Pennsylvania system, Loree of the Baltimore & Ohio, Underwood of the Erie, Newman of the Lake Shore, Baer of the Philadelphia & Reading, and Truesdale of the Lackawanna, who practically control the situation, decided at a meeting in New York to urge on the competing lines the creation of new tariffs which will advance the rates on the bulk of iron and steel products 20 per cent.

Says The Gazette Was Right.

The advance was to be made through a pro-rating of the tariff of 25 cents the 100 pounds, which applies on the bulk of iron and steel products, Chicago to New York. The new basing rate between these points was to be made 20 cents. The Gazette's informant as to this purpose on last Friday morning, last night insisted that it was right in essential particulars, that the proposed advance is to be 20 per cent on the bulk of iron and steel traffic, and that the advances are to go into effect on or before January 1.

"This is true," he said, "regardless of the reported statements of Vice President S. M. Prevost of the Pennsylvania and others, that the advance will only be 8 or 10 per cent. You will find that the statements as they appeared in The Gazette will prove to be correct, unless some of the lines west of here succeed in toning down the proposed advances and delaying them. The statements of a moderate advance at some remote time I regard as for the purpose of letting the public down easy, so the shock will not be as great as coming at once. There is hardly a chance but that the orders of the railroad combine executives for an advance of 20 per cent on the commodity iron and steel rates will go into effect before January 1."

May Not Be So Large.

First Vice President James McCrea of the Pennsylvania lines west said that the reports of a 20 per cent advance were premature and probably exaggerated. "No decision has been reached," said he. Asked about the meeting last week of the executives, he said that he did not know of it and had not attended it. "Mr. Wood, second vice president of the Pennsylvania lines west, was at a meeting last week to adjust some difficulties over rates out of St. Louis," said he.

D. T. McCabe, freight traffic manager of the Pittsburgh lines west, said last night: "The only agreement reached provides for advances on grain, grain products, provisions, dressed beef and flour, as has been announced. There has simply been some consideration of changes in other rates such as is usual at this period of the year. There will be a meeting of traffic officials in New York on Monday and one in Chicago Tuesday."

DAVE HILL WOULD HAVE GIVEN UP PRESIDENCY

Offered Democratic Nomination for Governor to Justice Peckham.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—W. G. Rice of Albany, who was United States civil service commissioner under the last Cleveland administration, said today:

"It may interest some fellow Democrats to know that so distinguished a member of the party as Justice R. W. Peckham of the United States supreme court was offered, so far as anyone but the convention itself could do so, the last nomination for governor.

"At Mr. Hill's request I went to see Justice Peckham the middle of August at Saranac lake, where he was spending the summer, and informed him that it was Mr. Hill's desire that he should allow his name to come before the convention; that Mr. Hill and others believed there was a probability of the election of the Democratic ticket; that Judge Gray was to be renominated; that the other names on the ticket would be those of men of high character and ability, and that if elected governor, he (Justice Peckham) would be inevitably the most prominent Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1904, and that he would have, so far as Mr. Hill could promise it, the ardent support of New York state in the national convention.

"Justice Peckham replied that even the certainty of an election as governor and after that the assurance of the nomination for president would not swerve him from his determination not to be a candidate for political office. Personal reasons compelled him to this decision.

"I have Justice Peckham's permission to make this entire incident public."

Raised Money to Fight Saloons.

The Rev. C. E. Page of Allegheny, representing the Anti-Saloon League, preached yesterday morning at the First United Presbyterian church, Wilkinsburg, and in the evening at the United Brethren church, on temperance. He has succeeded in raising a large amount of money in Wilkinsburg with which to prosecute the fight against saloons.

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SCARED THE FAMILY AND TAUGHT A LESSON.

Last Thursday J. W. Stephenson of No. 817 Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg, reported to the police that his house had been entered while the family was absent and a gold-lined silver set, valued at $100, stolen. The police set about to locate the thief and reported the loss to the Pittsburgh police. Yesterday Mrs. J. S. Stephenson of Wallace avenue, mother of J. W. Stephenson, thinking the family had become sufficiently impressed with the importance of locking the doors when they left home, announced that she had hidden the silver set and told where it could be found.

CHILDREN ORGANIZED.

Juvenile Societies to Aid Catholic Total Abstinence Work.

The Dioscean union of the Catholic Total Abstinence society celebrated Temperance day with a meeting in St. Joseph's church, Sharpsburg. At a business session the union decided to take a new step and organize juvenile temperance societies in every parish that has a total abstinence organization. Mrs. Mary F. Byrnes of St. Andrew's church, Allegheny, was elected organizer, and will have charge of the work.

The movement of the National union in sending out the Twentieth Century pledge cards, was indorsed, and every effort will be made to give them a wide circulation in this diocese. Five million cards are to be sent out during the coming year.

At the mass meeting the Rev. John G. Beane, president of the Diocesan union; the Rev. Thomas Rosensteel, rector of St. Joseph's church; John Horgan of Irwin; P. B. Thornton, John W. Tighe and P. W. Joyce made addresses, and many persons signed the pledge. A start was then made in the juvenile movement, and two societies, one for girls and one for boys, were organized.

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DEATHS.

BARO—On Sunday, November 23, 1902, at 5 a. m., JOHN C. BARO, aged 16 years, 2 months.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 1704 Seventeenth avenue, Homestead, on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Mary's church at 9. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery at Pittsburgh.

BRADY—On Saturday, Nov. 22, 1902, at 4 p. m., MARY, beloved wife of Patrick Brady, aged 59 years.

Funeral from the family home, No. 77 Henderson street, Allegheny, Tuesday, November 25, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

EATON—Suddenly, on Saturday, November 22, 1902, at 7 a. m., MISS EMMA J. EATON.

Funeral services at the residence of her nephew, Dr. R. S. Donehoo, No. 318 Chartiers avenue, Elliott borough, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FEE—Suddenly, on Saturday morning, November 22, 1902, SMITH F. FEE, beloved husband of Anna M. Fee (nee Fisher), in his 41st year.

Funeral service on Monday, November 24, at 2:30 p. m., at the family home, No. 511 Winfield street, East End. Interment private.

HALEY—On Saturday, November 22, 1902, at 6 p. m., JOHN JAMES HALEY.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 730 South Negley avenue, East End, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

HICKEY—On Saturday, Nov. 22, 1902, at 2:30 p. m., MAURICE JOSEPH HICKEY, in his 65d year.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, No. 442 Rosedale street, Thirty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday, No. 25, at 2 p. m. Interment at Homewood cemetery.

[Buffalo papers please copy.]

HODGSON—Suddenly, on Saturday, November 22, 1902, JOSEPH HODGSON, in his 70th year.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, West End, Carnegie, Pa., this evening at 7 o'clock. Interment private.

M'CUTCHEON—On Friday, November 21, 1902, at 7 p. m., ELIZABETH, widow of James Geary McCutcheon, in her 83d year.

Funeral on Monday, November 24, from the residence of William P. Black, Indiana township. Services at East Union church at 11 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'NISH—On Friday, November 21, at 11 o'clock p. m., MRS. MARY J., widow of Henry L. and mother of Dr. Thomas T. McNish, aged 79 years.

Funeral services on Monday, November 24, at 1:30 o'clock at her late residence, No. 1209 Sheffield street, Allegheny. Interment private.

(New York and Boston papers please copy.)

MAYER—On Sunday, November 23, 1902, at 9:30 p. m., at the residence of her brother-in-law, William C. Miller, No. 6508 Winslow street, near Lowell street, East End, KATE MAYER, aged 40 years.

Notice of funeral later.

MEYERS—On Saturday, November 22, 1902, at 9:40 a. m., BRIDGET M'GRATH, wife of Henry Meyers, and mother-in-law of Joseph Geis, Pittsburgh engine company No. 3, aged 58 years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 201 Talbot avenue, Braddock, Pa., on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Brendan's church at 9. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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PIERCE—At 10:45 Sunday, November 23, 1902, MARY ROUZER PIERCE, in her 69th year.

Services at her late residence, Beech Cliff postoffice, on Steubenville pike, at 1 p. m. Tuesday, November 25. Interment at Montour church cemetery. Please omit flowers.

ROBINSON—On Saturday, November 22, 1902, at his residence, Ludlow, Ky., JOHN ROBINSON, in his 68th year.

Funeral services on Monday, November 24, at 2:30 p. m., at the residence of G. M. Smith, 65 Harrison avenue, Bellevue, Pa. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SHAFFER—On Friday, November 21, 1902, at Elizabeth, Pa., DR. CHARLES HOLMES SHAFFER, in his 45th year.

Funeral services on Monday, November 24, at 2:30 p. m., at the Methodist Episcopal church, Elizabeth. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private in Elizabeth cemetery.

TERRELL—On Saturday, November 22, 1902, at 9 a. m., JOHN TERRELL, aged 79 years, 8 months.

Funeral services at his late residence, Freeport road, O'Hara township, on Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WILEY—On Saturday, November 22, 1902, at 10:30 a. m., at her residence, No. 1 Humber street, near Soho street, MRS. ELMORE WILEY, wife of William Wiley, aged 31 years, 6 months, 19 days.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WILSON—On Sunday, November 23, at 2:15 p. m., JANE CHAMBERS, widow of J. Park Wilson.

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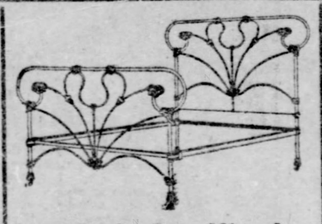

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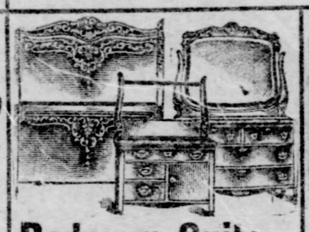

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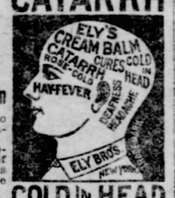

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TWELVE PAGES.

There was an odd development at the hearing in connection with the proposed new passenger station for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Rivermen denounced the encroachment upon the harbor and the river in round terms, but declined to sign any official protest to be forwarded to the secretary of war. Thus they let go by default that which they took the trouble to go to the hearing to inveigh against. Practically this puts the whole question up to the city of Pittsburgh. The war department is not likely to refuse a petition which is filed without protest. The duty of the city in the premises is plain enough. The primary object of the proposed change is to give better facilities for the handling of Pittsburgh traffic, and that is a worthy object. The privilege ought to be granted, but the compensation clause should be amended to make it equal to the value of the concession.

President Roosevelt's address to the Union League club in Philadelphia rang true to the chord of highest patriotism. It has added to his reputation for courage and wisdom and possesses special interest at the moment as an indication of what is uppermost in the president's mind that is likely to find expression in his message to congress. The so-called trust question, the control for good of the vast combinations of capital that have marked the tremendous industrial expansion of the past few years appears to dominate the executive's thought. He would have further legislation, more earnest enforcement of the law, and, above all, a public sentiment for the universal practice of the homely virtues.

There is no such crisis imminent in the life of the nation as that which called the Union League into existence more than 40 years ago. But, as President Roosevelt said, there are grave problems to be solved that call for as earnest a spirit of patriotism as was shown in defense of the union in the dark days of civil strife. There are questions to be dealt with of almost equal import to the future of the country as those settled upon bloody battlefields, though these may be settled right without any such terrible means of arbitrament. The need of the hour is the practice of the homely virtues, on which the president has laid so much emphasis in all of his speeches since his visit to Pittsburgh on the Fourth of July, and the adoption of legislation which may compel soulless corporations and others to keep in line with them. President Roosevelt would not destroy one business agency, but he would control all to prevent infractions of the rule to "live and let live."

Along with the apparent agreement of all interests upon the Schenley park site for the Carnegie polytechnic there is a revival of discussion of the plans of Mr. H. C. Frick in connection with the 16-acre plot between Forbes street and Fifth avenue, opposite the main entrance to Schenley park. It is not doubted in any quarter that Mr. Frick is planning an institution that will be of value to the city and of which it will be proud, but as he is applying to it his business policy of silence no one is likely to know exactly what it is to be until the plans are complete. When that time comes Mr. Frick will at least have the satisfaction of knowing the plans can be worked out without waiting for the city to purchase a site, or having a controversy about the location.

There is a good deal to commend in Mr. Frick's policy. In the first place, it permits of perfect adaptation of site and institution. It makes the projector the sole arbiter of all questions of plan, scope, architecture and equipment. Though it may militate against an active public interest in the preliminaries there is no reason to believe it will detract in the least from public interest in the completed work or lead to any indifference to its continued usefulness. Possibly Mr. Frick may guard against such a contingency, anyway, by following the examples of Stephen Girard and Peter Cooper, by making provision for perpetual care and maintenance. Be that as it may, there are certainly no institutions anywhere that are more jealously guarded or more generally interesting to the public than Girard college in Philadelphia and Cooper institute in New York. They are lasting and honorable monuments to their donors, the fame of which is not confined to the cities where they are located, nor even to this continent.

"Battery Dan" Finn's boom for Grover Cleveland for 1904 is only a little one. Mr. Finn is a Tammany leader of the first New York assembly district and he went to Washington to start the boom. Since the returns came in from the election of Tuesday, November 4, there has been no noticeable attempt of Democratic statesmen to come out of the gloom of defeat to court public notice. They have all felt the depressing influence, and none seems to find any pleasure in contemplation of the result except Bryan, and none cares to attract attention at this time or have himself discussed in connection with the future. All that any of them wants is to be let alone. If any Democratic leader takes the center of the stage in the near future it will be because he is shoved. Mr. Finn's effort in behalf of Cleveland for the Democratic nomination in 1904 is the first effort to shove a leader to the front, but it only again calls to mind that the one candidate for whom Mr. Cleveland made a speech in the late campaign was whipped. The times are not propitious for Democrats. There is little inducement outside Rifode Island or the "grandfather" states in the south for a Democrat to show his head.

It really doesn't matter whether, as stated in dispatches from London, "the British authorities are exhibiting unusual activity in connection with their fortifications in the West Indies with the view of strengthening the strategical positions there against any eventualities consequent upon the construction of the Panama canal." If the government of our English cousins desires to spend the money of the British taxpayer for fortifications and naval and military bases, the United States has no reason to complain and little reason for alarm. The program ought not to be looked on as an intimidation. The military authorities of the United States have a scheme of defense against a possible invasion of this country by way of the St. Lawrence river and the great lakes that calls for fortifications and big guns. This is not intimidation of Canada or Great Britain. Such things are merely wise precautions and will be necessary until the millenium has arrived. Britain has interests to protect in the West Indies; the United States, if any menace to them, is not the only one. Neither is it necessary to adopt the view that the increased armaments are designed for possible use against this country or its budding interests further south. But we will have much to safeguard in that direction and if Great Britain finds it necessary, with less to defend, to increase her offensive and defensive interests in West Indian regions, it is worth while for the government of the United States to be in a state of complete preparedness there as well as elsewhere.

AN AUSTRIAN TRUST.

Austrian iron and steel manufacturers have followed the example of their fellows in Germany and formed a "cartel," or combination, including companies with an aggregate capital of about $70,000,000. The German manufacturers organized in supposed imitation of their American competitors. As a matter of fact, both the Germans and Austrians have created trusts, in the sense that such organizations are prohibited in the United States, instead of establishing huge corporations on the lines of the United States, Republic or Union Steel Companies of this country. Their trusts are popularly approved because it is hoped they may be able to compete with the American corporations, while trusts are disapproved here because it is desired that our corporations should compete with each other. The fact is illustrative of America's industrial greatness as compared with the individual European states.

This Austrian cartel is a trust, pure and simple. The various concerns have not sold their property to a blanketing company, but have pooled their business in the hands of a committee which has power to dictate prices on raw materials and finished product and the rate of wages. This committee has a virtual monopoly of the iron and steel business of Austria in its hands. Of course, there is a way to dissolve the combination if its management does not result in the payment of satisfactory dividends, but while it pays it is likely to continue its monopoly, even if that renders necessary the throttling of all home competition. In fact, it is the most objectionable form of industrial combination from a public point of view, though probably the most satisfactory form for those who are financially interested in it.

Austria has complained more loudly and bitterly about American industrial combinations than any other country in the world. From Austria emanated the proposition for a tariff union of all Europe against the United States. At the approach of the Spanish war Austria led in the suggestion of a political union of Europe hostile to the United States. Austrian writers have busied themselves for years denouncing American commercial methods and vituperating American industrial organizations. In the light of these facts it may be surprising to some to find Austrian manufacturers endeavoring to imitate American plans. There can be no doubt, however, that Austrian commercial interests will be better served by the new departure than they were by all the vaporings against Americanism. There is more industrial wisdom in one combination than in a thousand tirades. Austria may yet get a fifth rate place in the procession of nations after the markets of the world.

THE NEED FOR LEADERSHIP.

It is a dull student of national progress and development who will not this week see some reason for national thanksgiving. Of the individual reasons they are as numerous and as diversified as the personal life and peculiar environment of a cosmopolitan people can make them. More and more do our thanksgiving thoughts shape themselves along the lines most apparent to the outer and surface vision of a busy and prosperous people. Whatever reflections may be awakened in the mind as to our personal reasons for obeying the executive proclamation with reference to the observance of the day, it is certain that as a nation we have come to regard the occasion as one in which our vast prosperity, our great wealth and our immunity from national calamity are to be dwelt upon with especial thankfulness. Read any one of the proclamations setting apart the day for special observance, from that of the president on through the list of governors, and the same spirit is undercurrent in all of them—the greatness and the prosperity of the American nation.

And yet it may be sincerely doubted whether these are not, after all, the most uncertain of all reasons for general praise and thanksgiving. Our wealth and our greatness have been the means of bringing us into a position of such responsibility with reference to present and future world-civilization that the attending dangers far outweigh the glittering accompaniments. Recent events in national history point to the early necessity of meeting some, at least, of these grave responsibilities. The road of progress for the American people is not without danger signals. The annual thanksgiving season will see great cause for praise and for thankfulness, but it will present just as great causes for reflection and humiliation.

Economic problems of profound gravity remain to be adjusted. The relations between capital and labor that have been for so many years a thorn in the side of our national life shows no positive evidence of growing less troublesome. In the period of transition through which we as a people are undoubtedly passing the question that becomes at once paramount is, will enough of the virile force, the sturdy American manhood and common sense of the old era be carried over into the new to give it effective form and balance?

We want no thanksgiving croakers, but we do need thoughtful apprehension for the future on the part of the nation's leaders. There has never been a period of national stress and need that we have not found a way out of the difficulties. This is one of the luminous reasons for deep thankfulness on Thursday next. The thought, so intimately associated with this reflection as to be a perfect correlation, is that there has never been a time when the national life was not strong enough to produce just the type of manhood and leadership needed for the especial work to be done. Just as Moses came when the Israelites were having the chains of slavery more firmly forged every day; or as Christ came at the juncture of two civilizations, so in every period of the world's history great necessities have demanded and usually received great leaders. Washington came when the colonies needed a soldier. Jefferson, Webster and Clay came to found a new science of political economy. Abraham Lincoln was the child of a nation's great need, and William McKinley completed the work that fell from the stiffened fingers of his prototype and fellow martyr.

Has the nation the power to produce the manhood and leadership that this especial epoch in our history demands? It is around this query that the most profound reflection of the thanksgiving season should cluster. In the mass our prosperity is a thing to enthuse over. In its merely surface aspects our immunity from great national calamity is cause for gratitude to Almighty God, but in the successful demonstration of individual character and manhood qualified to meet and unravel the stern problems of our present and future national life lies the real secret of national thanksgiving.

PARK SITE AND MRS. SCHENLEY.

While it is a matter for regret that a site for the Carnegie technological school was not long ago provided, there is reason for congratulation that the long controversy has resulted in such unanimity of purpose as is now apparent. The advocates of the Schenley farm site yielded slowly to those who argued for a different one that would not involve cost to the city, or a cost in excess of the sum of money available, but now that they have yielded they accept with heartiness, so far as they have expressed themselves, the park site that has been agreed on by the councilmanic committee. Chancellor Brashear of the Western university is reported to have said to President Lamble, of select council, that in his opinion the park site is much superior to the hillside property in Bellefield "or any other that has been suggested" and that he had become "convinced that it would have been a serious mistake to have chosen the hillside property." Doubtless others who previously advocated this hillside site, the Schenley farm property, if not so fully convinced as Mr. Brashear of the superiority of the park site are satisfied to accept it and thus bring the community appreciably nearer realization of the benefits to be derived from the school. At least, opposition is abandoned out of consideration for the common good and there will be no discordant notes in the petition to Mrs. Schenley to modify the terms of the park deed to permit of the alienation of park lands for school purposes. As practically all that stands between Pittsburgh and the beginning of work on the school is Mrs. Schenley's consent, steps should be taken at once to lay the matter before her in a manner that will emphasize Pittsburgh's appreciation of her former generosity, and that will convince her that the devotion of a portion of the park lands to the purposes of technical education is no inconsiderate abandonment of the benefits she conferred on this community in her large grant to it. To this end, if it be deemed necessary and wise to send an ambassador to her on behalf of the city, some one should be dispatched in whom she has complete confidence and who can easily convince her of the practical unanimity of the people. This is due to Mrs. Schenley, whose acquaintance in Pittsburgh is necessarily limited by reason of her long residence abroad. No one should be sent to her concerning whose personal standing in the community she will need to make inquiry. It is no less due to Pittsburgh, because it is important that the site that has been decided on be made available as soon as possible.

Now that President Castro has disposed of the Venezuela rebels he is asked by Germany and Great Britain to settle the little matter of indebtedness previously mentioned by them. The troubles of the president of a South American state are manifold and if they come singly they tread on each other's heels.

A law is advocated to protect members of the national guard against loss of employment by reason of their service to the state. The object is a good one, but we believe public sentiment will have all of the force of law in this matter and probably more effectiveness.

Director McCandless will know a lot more about reservoirs before they are off his hands, and may also have a better knowledge of the public pulse.

The $70,000,000 steel combine in Austro-Hungary is probably a big thing for those regions, but seems to indicate something of a water famine.

Mr. Bryan's verdict upon the results of the late elections is received with equanimity, even by what remains of the Democratic party.

President Roosevelt shows a constancy of opinion and purpose that will count for much in carrying out the policies of his administration.

Protests from the individual operators in the anthracite region are of less consequence than if they owned a majority of the mines.

The one fact agreed on in the official reports of the American tragedy at Guatemala City is that the man who was killed is dead.

Good old Yale's boys had probably a few remarks to make to the landlords.

The freight movement of the past few days was the genuine thing.

The governor consented to arbitrate the retirement of the judges.

Employers and Militiamen.

From the Washington Star.

Between the labor union which refuses to grant a militiaman a working card and the employer who refuses to guarantee the militiaman-employe continuance in service the national guard is sore pressed. But fortunately public opinion is firm set against both of these forms of tyranny. The union which adopts such a policy will immediately find itself without the sympathy and support of the public, while the merchant or professional employer who refuses to recognize the right of the militiaman to a guarantee of place will be deprived in short order of the patronage of all public spirited persons. For both classes need the militia quite as seriously as do the non-employing, purchasing classes who constitute the great deciding middle element in our society.

Rebuking a Fault-Finder.

From the Milwaukee Free Press.

A New York butterfly of fashion and fortune is said to employ a young woman to do nothing but nurse and manicure her pet dog, and a sour Chicago paper criticises her for doing it, on the ground that the money it costs ought to be better used. The money goes in wages to the young woman nurse and manicurist, and there is no nobler use for money than paying it in wages. The nurse might be set to sewing, or dishwashing; but that would take work from somebody else. As it is, she doubtless has a pleasant and an easy life, and with good pay.

All Right on Turkeys.

From the Baltimore American.

Rhode Island keeps at her practice of supplying the turkey for the Thanksgiving dinner at the White House. That state may be small in some things, but in turkeys she is simply immense.

EXIT HORSE SHOW, ENTER SONG BIRDS

Mrs. Gotrox Will Have New Excuse to Air Her Gowns This Week.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.

With the clearing away of the horse show, society turns its eyes toward the opera. We shall see the same faces in the grand parterre at the Metropolitan Opera House tomorrow night that smiled upon the world from the private boxes in Madison Square Garden last week. It is a good thing the opera and horse show are not sumultaneous. What would Mrs. Getrox and all her set do if they were expected to look at horses early in the evening and listen to Sembrich, Eames, Alvarez, Seygard or some other big operatic gun later? Something would have to suffer. It might be the horses, or it might be Eames, but surely all could not receive the attention due to their importance. But Maurice Grau is too experienced an impresario to bring his song birds to New York until he has a clear field for them. He will not risk discords by allowing his prima donna to pit a bravura against the hoarse command of a judge at the garden. "To the gate with him." Whatever may have been the prestige attached to last week's exhibition in Madison Square Garden, it his all vanished now, and the big yellow building in Upper Broadway, where "Othello" is to be sung tomorrow, with Alvarez as the Moor and Emma Eames as Desdemona, will shelter most of the denizens of "millionaires' row," with a goodly number of opera-lovers, who may be domiciled in much cheaper quarters. It is contended that New York is a city of keen musical appreciation. Probably it is. At all events, there is always a gorgeous turn-out on the big nights of the grand opera season, among which the opening must be included. Then there are the "rail birds." Mr. Grau has been fighting for those precious bipeds against the fire department for months, and it is believed that they will be standing in their accustomed places at the back of the parquette, just as they always did in the old days before the fire commissioner became so zealous that all aisles should be kept clear. Every indication is that the opening will be a brilliant one, and that there will be few, if any, empty seats when the curtain rings up tomorrow evening.

Beer Drinking Statistics Again.

A New Yorker yesterday expressed his surprise that employes in breweries sometimes drink as many as 60 glasses of beer a day. That is nothing. In some of the Allegheny breweries there are men that drink, or did a few years ago, 30 to 40 glasses of beer daily and could have hidden away 60 or 70 if put to it. New Yorkers, as a rule, are not any more husky than residents of Western Pennsylvania, but no one doubts that among the nest of breweries on the East Side and in Harlem there are plenty of 60-glass men. Sixty glasses of beer is not much to the man whose life is spent in an atmosphere of the beverage, although it is true that there are men working for breweries, as drivers and otherwise, who are total abstainers.

Another Play House to Open.

Another new theater in New York is to be opened tomorrow night. It is the "Circle," at Fifty-ninth street, and it is the house which was opposed bitterly for years by the Paulist Fathers, whose church is within a block or two. The object originally was to make it a vaudeville theater. Charles E. Evans, of the old comedy firm of Evans & Hoey, had the lease at one time, but gave it up when he found that he could not proceed, although it cost him a good round forfeit. The house will be the home of a stock company, and the opening play tomorrow is "Aristocracy."

New York Has Football Katzenjammer.

New York was ablaze with football enthusiasm last night. The victory of Yale was expected and adherents of that university had prepared themselves to celebrate with all the noise and red fire that could be let loose. It was about dinner time—that is to say, 7 p. m.—when the special trains on the New York Central began to discharge their passengers at Forty-second street. Most of the multitude made its way to Broadway or Fifth avenue, and soon every fashionable restaurant, with others not so fashionable, were crowded with hungry football witnesses. After that the theaters. In every playhouse up and down Broadway, and on the cross streets, there was not room for one to get his nose in after 8 o'clock. After the theater the restaurants again, a long night and morning of jolity, and so to bed, well pleased with the diversion, as old Ham Repys would say.

Looks Like Morning After.

The interior of Madison Square garden presents a dismal scene today. The arena was littered with all kinds of rubbish, and the cleaners were having a busy time of it. Many of the horses exhibited have been taken away, but a few remain and may not be moved until tomorrow. There is plenty of stable room in the basement of the building, and so long as it is not required immediately, the managers of the garden are not inclined to be stiff over a few hours extra tenancy, even if not paid for. Tomorrow, however, there will be a decided movement toward getting the last vestige of the horse show away. The next big thing in the garden will be the six-day bicycle race, which means a complete reconstruction of the interior. The sloping wooden track for the wheels must be built, and it must be made strongly, too. All the tanbark and clay brought in for the hoofs of the precious horses that pranced around last week must first be removed, and then the carpenters will get to work. One of the wonders of this metropolis is the rapidity and apparent ease with which Madison Square garden is made to change its aspect so entirely from one week to another.

Captains Dislike Harbor Fog.

Ocean liners and other craft are having considerable trouble in navigating New York harbor just now. The fog, particularly in the morning and evening, is very thick and many vessels have been detained outside the Hook because they could not find their way in, and were afraid they might meet the fate of the big St. Paul a few years ago, which went ashore at Coney Island and stayed there for a week. Ferryboats have their troubles with the fog, of course, because those trim-built vessels manage usually to get their share of any difficulty going in the harbor.

Even Rockefeller Goes Broke.

The story goes in a local paper that John D. Rockefeller, the richest man in the world, has nine private secretaries. It is said that it is the especial function of one of them to see that the head of the Standard Oil trust is always supplied with car fare. Mr. Rockefeller goes "broke" on car fare oftener than any man in Wall street.

Pittsburghers Crowd Pennsy.

Many Pittsburghers who were here for the horse show, and went to New Haven yesterday for the football game, went home last night, and more departed this evening. It is a long time since so many Pittsburgh passengers have been seen making for the western trains at the Jersey City depot of the Pennsylvania railroad as were noticed today. Only those that were forehanded enough to secure their parlor-car chairs or lower berths well in advance could get them today, for multitudes of visitors from other cities also decided to go home today, and every train pulling out of Jersey City was heavily loaded.

Felix Adler Comes to His Own.

Dr. Felix Adler may be pardoned for feeling a thrill of triumph and expressing it in his speech when he laid the corner stone of the new building of the Society of Ethical Culture, at Sixty-third street and Central Park west, yesterday afternoon. The edifice will be a monument to his own influence and persistence in what he believes to be a necessary element of modern civilization. Dr. Adler has wielded considerable moral power in this city for a long time, particularly among the Hebrew population of the East Side, and is regarded as one of the true philanthropists of the city. He has always been slightly veiled in the public view by his affiliations with a part of the population which is not thoroughly understood outside of its own people. Today he is one of the most talked-of men in New York. As showing the estimation in which he is held, Mayor Low, Wm. H. Maxwell, superintendent of education, R. Fulton Cutting and other prominent citizens took part in yesterday's exercises.

Want of Sign Causes Arrest.

Five automobilists, arrested for breaking the law in Central park, were discharged yesterday. Their offense was not fast riding, however, or they might have got into jail, as have other owners of the "devil-wagon." The five automobile men referred to merely neglected to display their initials on the back of their seats, as required by law. They will be defendants in civil suits, most likely.

Object to Living by Sport.

The Protective League of Salt Water Fishermen is an association which is very busy around New York. It is said that there are 100,000 anglers in New York and Brooklyn. They are men who angle on the principle of old Izaak Walton, who called it a "gentle" sport, and who believed that men were made more humane by practicing their skill with rod and line. The trouble for these anglers of Greater New York has been that there are many persons who catch fish only to make money and are not particular what implements they use, so long as they can deliver the goods. State legislation has been attempted at intervals for years to stop these dragnet fishermen from plying their horrible calling, but without effect. Now the Protective league is taking up the fight in real earnest, and it may be that something definite will be accomplished before the next legislature at Albany is ready for adjournment.

Chicago Still Holds One Record.

From the advance sheets of the quarterly issue of Federation, the organ of the Confederation of Churches and Christian Organizations in New York city, it is learned that official figures show an increase of this city's population from June 1, 1900, to January 1, 1902, of 146,728 persons. Chicago claims an increase in the same 19 months of 101,425 persons. Neither New York nor Chicago claim to be retaining its percentage of growth from 1890 to 1900. New York's growth in that decade was 37.1 per cent. Conceding that New York grew June 1, 1900, to January 1, 1902, only 4.2 per cent, and that only the same growth has been preserved to October 31, 1902, the increase of the city since the federal census of 1900 must be at least 219,080 persons, making the present population 3,657,182 persons. The marriages of New York during 1901 were almost twice as many as in Chicago, and the divorces were fewer than in Chicago or in San Francisco.

Only a Comparative Shopper.

Miss Pauline Astor, daughter of William Waldorf Astor, is having a pleasant time in New York. She went to the horse show several times, and passed part of her time each day in the shopping district. It is not that she needs to shop in New York particularly, if her object is to buy things, but she has all a woman's delight in comparing goods and prices in this city with those that are to be found elsewhere. Whether a woman comes from London, Paris or Pittsburgh makes little difference. There are still the stores here to attract them, and in most cases the comparison is so carefully made that the stranger here can tell an old New Yorker more about the local commerce of the metropolis than the latter ever suspected. Miss Astor intends to go to Philadelphia in the morning, to visit her uncle, James W. Paul, at Radnor.

GEO. C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

MANHATTAN.
F. F. McCullnock. C. E. Dwikey.
J. McCluskie. Mrs. C. E. Dwikey.
E. P. Weiler. C. Weilan.

VENDOME.
L. W. Walker. C. E. Schneiderberg.

MARLBOROUGH.
J. H. Robinson.

HERALD SQUARE.
L. H. Gilson. J. E. Frazer.

IMPERIAL.
H. M. Moody. W. F. Walsch.
Mrs. H. M. Moody. C. W. Lake.
Miss F. B. Moody. W. H. Hallen.

GRAND.
C. G. Byce. C. MacDonald.
Mrs. C. G. Byce.

HOLLAND.
S. Woods. Miss B. Harvey.
W. R. Huselton. H. E. Wainwright.
H. W. Wood. Mrs. H. E. Wainwright.
H. G. English. Mrs. J. H. McKelvy.
Mrs. Moore. Mrs. D. A. Moore.
Miss Moore. Miss J. F. Lazear.
Mrs. J. MacFarlane.

STURTEVANT.
W. B. Clayton.

VICTORIA.
J. S. Henderson. Mrs. J. S. Henderson.

HOFFMAN.
G. W. Wilson. R. Kauffmann.

ST. DENIS.
Miss E. Morrow.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
D. G. Loaffer.

ASTOR.
S. E. McDonald. C. E. Kengott.
S. F. Kerr. Mrs. C. E. Kengott.

Uncle Joe Cannon's Guess.

From the Philadelphia Press.

The Chicago News is of the opinion that Uncle Joe Cannon can guess who is going to juggle the gavel in the next congress. Certainly; and when Uncle Joe looks over the field all right he will guess it is going to be John Dalzell.

THE THANKSGIVING EDITION OF A GREAT SUNDAY NEWSPAPER

The air of the "Glad Thanksgiving Tide" was felt in every page of yesterday's Sunday Gazette. The illustrations, typical of this distinctively American season of good cheer, the incidents, humorous and pathetic, that center about this annual festival of a great nation, were penned by master hands.

As a newspaper, the edition has rarely been equalled and never surpassed in Pittsburgh. The great industrial advance, so vital to Pittsburghers, was told of in exclusive accounts of great contracts for work in England, India and the new Westinghouse town that is springing up like a mushroom, at Trafford City.

The steps taken by the railroads to end the great freight congestion that has partially paralyzed Western Pennsylvania industries for so many weeks were explained and the stupendous car movement of yesterday was foretold with accuracy.

In the sporting world the big Yale-Harvard football game was described by an expert and the final struggles on scores of gridirons were covered thoroughly.

In the reports of finance and markets the business man and investor found The Gazette to be the same reliable and accurate guide that has made it a favorite and companion of the men who have made Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania what they are today.

The latest gossip of the theaters, the women's clubs, society, local, national and international, and other departments in which the feminine part of every household is interested, kept up the march of progression that has caused The Sunday Gazette to be known as "the" standard.

John P. Cowan talked interestingly of old Lisbon, the Ohio town, near which "Morgan the Raider" was caught, of its history, its present and its future, and also contributed a breezy little story of Washington, Pa.

The Thanksgiving feature stories included everything from the correct gown of a Thanksgiving hostess to the proper menu for the Thanksgiving dinner.

The near approach of the holiday season, with its social and family features, was mirrored in accounts of the Pittsburgh stores and their offerings to Christmas buyers, the new books and the thousand and one other little things that mean so much to the holiday shopper.

The comic section bore the stamp of The Gazette's own staff of artists and humorists, whose originality has made this part of the Sunday paper famous in three states.

Oscar Holiday Banghart contributed another of his cartoons in colors, which have proven so popular because of their unrivaled artistic effect, as the crowning feature of the "Old Lady's" latest and best.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Rev. Charles Francis Huss.

The Rev. Charles Francis Huss, former pastor of the East McKeesport Presbyterian church, died yesterday after a brief illness, aged 38 years, at the home of his parents in Waynesburg. Nervous prostration is said to have been the principal trouble that caused his death. Mr. Huss was of a studious nature, from a very early age, and was graduated from Waynesburg college. In 1899 he was graduated from the Western Theological seminary, Allegheny, and received a call to the pastorate of the East McKeesport Presbyterian church, which had been just organized. He accepted the call, taking charge of the pastorate, which had a membership of 30 people and no church. Through his earnest work a church was secured and the membership increased to 200 in his term of two and one half years. During this time he made a trip to Europe, visiting the principal points of interest. Last February Mr. Huss was granted a vacation for his health, which was then breaking down and he visited the Pacific coast. His health, however, continued to fail, and he was compelled to return home. Mr. Huss was a gifted orator and a fine linguist, having command of five foreign languages. He was a son of D. R. P. Huss, ex-district attorney of Greene county, and a brother of S. A. Huss, an attorney of Pittsburgh. The funeral services will be held in the First Presbyterian church, Waynesburg, at 1 p. m. tomorrow.

Maj. Walter Reed.

Maj. Walter Reed, a well-known officer of the surgeon-general's department of the army, died in Washington yesterday. Death was due to appendicitis, for which an operation was performed on Monday, the 17th. Maj. Reed was born in Gloucester county, Va., in 1851, was was a graduate of the medical department of the University of Virginia and of Bellevue hospital, New York city. He was appointed an assistant surgeon in the army in 1875. After the Spanish-American war he made several voyages to Cuba and was on duty in Havana, studying the diseases of the island, more particularly yellow fever. After a series of brilliant experiments, which cost the life of one member of the board early in 1901, it was announced as a proved fact, that yellow fever is conveyed by a certain variety of mosquito and introduced into the blood of non-immunes by its bite. Sanitary measures tending to the destruction of the insect and the screening of infected persons were put into effect immediately in Havana with the result that for over a year no case of yellow fever has developed though the disease had existed permanently in Havana for three centuries. The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon from St. Thomas' Episcopal church, Washington.

Mrs. Isabel Huey.

Mrs. Isabel Huey, one of the pioneer residents of McKeesport, aged 79 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Coursin, McKeesport, last night. Mrs. Huey's maiden name was Isabel Pritch, and she was born in Somerset, Pa., coming to McKeesport at the age of 17. She was married to Dr. George E. Huey, the first regular practicing physician in McKeesport. She lived in McKeesport for 62 years, living in the first brick house built in McKeesport, situated at the corner of Walnut street and Second avenue. Her husband died in 1877. Mrs. Huey was an invalid for 30 years and unable to walk for the past 12 years. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church until about 12 years ago, when she joined the St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal church. The funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m., interment in Versailles cemetery. Mrs. Huey has three children surviving, Mrs. J. P. Coursin, Mrs. D. George Huckett of Hazelwood, and James R. Huey of McKeesport.

Robert Stockton Emmet.

Richard Stockton Emmet, the oldest member in this country of the famous family connected with the rebellion in Ireland in 1798, resulting in the martyrdom of Robert Emmet, died at his home in New Rochelle, N. Y., yesterday, in his 82d year. Mr. Emmet was a grandson of Thomas Addis Emmet, brother of Robert Emmet, who fled from Ireland after the execution of his brother. He went to Baltimore and afterward to New York. A monument in that city commemorates his public services. Mr. Emmet's father was Judge Robert Emmet of New York, who died in 1867.

Miss Ella Gruber.

Miss Ella B. Gruber, aged 30 years, died yesterday at her home, No. 214 Temperance street, McKeesport, of smallpox. She was a daughter of William M. Gruber of McKeesport, and had been sick but two weeks. The family of Mr. Gruber appears to be unfortunate. The son, William Gruber, Jr., had a leg cut off a short time ago, and Mrs. Gruber is at present lying at the point of death suffering from neuralgia of the heart.

Joseph Hudson.

Joseph Hudson, aged 76 years, died at his home, Hudsons Crossing, near Carnegie, yesterday at 1 a. m. He was one of the wealthiest and most prominent farmers in the vicinity of Carnegie, and at the time of his death was taken care of by his niece, Mrs. William Cole, who, with her husband, lived with him and his aged sister. Mr. Hudson was never married. His death was sudden and caused by heart trouble.

Henry Burnon.

Henry Burnon of Third avenue, Carnegie, died at his home Saturday at 11:30 p. m. The cause of his death was Bright's disease of the kidneys. He was prominent in political circles and belonged to the Odd Fellows. He is survived by his wife, a son and two daughters, one the wife of William Clark of Carnegie.

Obituary Notes.

Joseph M. Cushing, aged 65, a prominent merchant, died yesterday at Baltimore, Md. He was president for many years of the Maryland Academy of Arts and Designs.

Deer Hunting Fatalities.

From the Minneapolis Journal.

Deer hunting beats football and the present situation in Samar for fatal results. Six men have been killed and one seriously injured in Wisconsin and Northern Michigan since the deer season opened. As a means of committing suicide deer hunting seems to promise all that could be desired by the man seeking his own life.

The Duck Hunter.

From the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

If a hunter is not a stickler for big game Mr. Cleveland's score of sixty ducks is quite passable.

"UNCLE JOE'S" NEW OVERCOAT

Sold It to a Hotel Clerk and Thought He Had Cleared Ten Dollars.

"Ever hear the story about Congressman Joseph Cannon and his overcoat?" inquired Congressman J. H. Davidson of Oshkosh as he sat the center of attraction in a little group in the Hotel Pfister, says the Milwaukee Sentinel. "It is a pretty good thing to spread some of Joe's characteristics among the boys, now that he is a candidate for speaker. One of his fine points is his abhorrence of anything like style in dress. He prides himself on never paying more than $15 for an overcoat. Last winter his daughter decided that her father must dress better, and so she made arrangements with his tailor to make him a coat, charge him the regulation $15 for it, and she would pay the balance, the coat she selected costing $75.

"Mr. Cannon received his coat, and was complimented far and wide on his fine appearance.

"'What did you pay for it, Joe?' was a question that he was compelled to answer a dozen or more times a day, and his reply was invariably $15. The compliments he received on his bargain began to have their effect and finally the hotel clerk, about his size and build, but with speculation in his eye, said:

"'I'll give you $25 for it!'

"'It's yours,' replied the congressman from Illinois, as he pulled off the garment, pocketed the money and went home to learn from his daughter how he had been taken in and done for."

AN OBSERVANT BARBER.

A weary-looking young man dropped into an end chair in a downtown barber shop the other day, says the Baltimore Sun, and said sadly, "Shave."

"Yes, sir," replied the knight of the brush and blade, as he began to anoint the young man's face with lather. After a moment's reflection the barber asked, "Would you be offended, sir, if I were to tell you your occupation and a peculiarity of yourself?"

"Why, no," replied the wondering customer. Let's hear it."

"Well, you are a bookkeeper by profession, and you are left-handed."

The young man gasped in astonishment and asked the barber how he knew these facts.

For awhile the barber refused to tell the secret of his power, but he was finally induced to clear up the mystery.

"I know you are a bookkeeper," he said, "because your hair is stained with red and black ink back of your ear, where you have been in the habit of placing your pen. The fact that the marks are back of the left ear show that you are left-handed, and the fact that you use red and black ink shows you to be a bookkeeper and not a clerk or a literary man."

The customer left the place marveling much at the simplicity of the methods of Sherlock Holmes.

DOVENER'S FISH STORY.

Representative Blackburn Barrett Dovener of West Virginia, strolled down the stone steps of the New Willard with a look of contentment, as though he had just finished his dinner, says the Washington Post. A group of correspondents, on the lookout for statesmen to interview, spied him, and bore down upon the West Virginian.

"Do you know any news—West Virginia politics?" asked one of the newspaper men.

Representative Dovener smiled at the group. "Yes; I have," said he, "some news concerning my state." He put his hand in an inside pocket and drew out a large bundle of official-looking documents. The news gatherers became expectant.

"I have an order for fish," said the West Virginia statesman.

The newspaper men looked at each other a bit mystified. They fancied themselves on the trail of a "story," and began to look wise.

"I've just been down to the fish commission to get an order for some catfish to stock Muddy creek, out in my state," added Congressman Dovener. "You needn't say how many fish, just a few. It's a small creek."

"Good-bye, Mr. Dovener," said the correspondents, as they began to see a light and faded away.

"Dispatches from the Front."

From the Los Angeles Times.

The war correspondent at Tucson has broken loose again with a report filled with horrifying details regarding an outbreak of the Yaquis. This tribe of Indians has proved to be of great value as copy-makers to the rising young journalists of the southwest. Whenever a sensation is needed, the meek and gentle Yaqui can be depended upon as a subject for such sensation, even though he hasn't moved 14 feet away from the reservation, nor had a gun in his hand for six months. He has been a monumental money-maker for the Tucson and El Paso war correspondents, who never get nearer the front than the telegraph office, and doubtless will continue to be so long as there is one of the tribe alive. And after the last one has gone to the happy hunting grounds the war correspondent of the southwest will subsist solely upon Yaqui traditions—depend upon the fellow for that.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"Where is that mathematical phenomenon that was here last year? Wonderful the way he could juggle with figures."

"Oh, he's left the stage and gone with a gas company."—Life.

"Uncle Ephr'm, how did such a notorious old sinner as you ever manage to get into the church?"

"Ise one of the chahtah membahs, sah."—Chicago Tribune.

"Is she

News of Nearby Towns and Country

ELOPERS HAVE TRIALS AT STEUBENVILLE

Professional "Steerers" Fall Out and Traffic May Suffer.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

STEUBENVILLE, O., Nov. 23.—War has been declared in the ranks of the "steerers" in this Gretna Green, and it threatens to extend to the justices' courts. The trouble grows out of jealousy because certain "steerers" are raking in more of the spoils than others, due to nervy and active work. The job of steering couples from Pittsburgh through the intricacies of the marriage license law has been elevated to the dignity of an occupation and a good living has been made by several persons at this kind of work.

At the Panhandle station the railroad detectives prevent mobbing of marriageables by a half dozen muscular "steerers" who wait till they get off the railroad property before pressing their services, saying: "You'll get turned down if you don't listen to me."

The "steerers" then trail the couples down the main street, while they are marks of hundreds of eyes. Probate Judge Kerr does all in his power to stop the illegal business, but promiscuous swearing by the groom, whose tale has been fixed and rehearsed in advance, pulls them through. Judge Kerr makes it a rule to turn them down if they are accompanied into his office by the "steerers," who have made themselves objectionable.

Recently one of the alleged professional marriage license helpers fell out with Justice Love's court, it is alleged, where nearly all the marrying had been done, and he has been securing them nearly all for another court. If another man gets a couple he threatens to stop them in the court if they do not change guides, and he has already "queered" several couples from Pittsburgh by walking into the probate judge's office just as the critical questions were being asked. The other "steerers" threaten physical assault if it is repeated. Like brigands, now that they are falling out, the business may be broken up for a time.

INVESTIGATING A FIRE.

Sensation Promised in Burning of Beaver Falls Plant.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The cause of the fire which destroyed a portion of the Keystone driller works at this place about a week ago, is being investigated by detectives and it is rumored that startling evidence has been secured and that arrests will be made in a few days that will cause a sensation.

The officials of the driller company are convinced that the works were set on fire and are seriously considering rebuilding elsewhere. The loss was fully $100,000, only partially covered by insurance.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA.—Mrs. Phillip Weaver, while crossing railroad tracks on Penn street was struck by an engine and killed.

ASHTABULA, O.—The steamer M. A. Hanna, which went ashore here, was released and brought into port. It is learned that the Hanna struck the pier before she went ashore and two plates in her starboard bow were bent.

IRWIN, PA.—Private Detective Leo Metzgar, with a number of deputies, made a raid on the Lafayette house, at Larimer, an alleged speakeasy. Benjamin Hauxman and his wife were arrested and Squire Mitchell put them under bail for their appearance.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The ministers of the city will adopt resolutions asking the mayor to enforce the Sunday laws and also to make a crusade against the gamblers. The ministers claim that this is one of the most wide-open cities of the state on Sunday.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The Bessemer plant of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, which has been closed down for repairs, has resumed. However, there is no appreciable improvements in the coke situation here and several thousand men are idle as a result.

WASHINGTON, PA.—John S. Brown, aged 50, assistant mine foreman of the Vesta mine of Allenport, was found on the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston road near Allenport. He died about 20 minutes later. He leaves a widow and three children. It is supposed that he was run down by a train.

ANOTHER LANDMARK IS DISAPPEARING

Old Atterbury Glass Factory Going Down to Make Room for Wabash.

In the dismantling of the Atterbury factory, Carson and First streets, South Side, another land mark connected with the glass industry of Pittsburgh is rapidly disappearing. The walls of the furnace room, the glory holes and lears and packing department have been razed during the past two weeks, to make room for the ingress of the Wabash railroad.

The foundation stones and furnace footing courses have been lifted and the dismemberment of the huge walls of the assorting, decorating and packing departments are now going ahead at a speedy rate.

The works were built in 1884, when Atterbury & Co. moved in. For years they made their flint and opal specialties at Carson and First streets.

SPALDING STILL LEADS.

Decision on New Archbishop for Chicago Is Postponed.

ROME, Nov. 23.—The decision of the propaganda regarding the appointment of a new archbishop of Chicago to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Archbishop Feehan, has been postponed, principally on account of objections received from several American bishops concerning the doctrines held by Bishop Spalding.

It has been decided that the question shall be discussed at the meeting of the propaganda on December 15. Bishop Spalding continues to be considered the most likely candidate for the post.

Major Ross Wins Novel Prize.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—It is stated that Maj. Ross, the principal of the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine, will be awarded the Nobel malaria research prize of $30,000. Maj. Ross conducted several expeditions into the mosquito breeding districts of West Africa.

A TRIBUTE TO YOUR TABLE.

Serve Your Thanksgiving Turkey With Correct Accessories.

One cannot eat the table linens and napkins, to be sure, but they have a lot to do with the first impression one gets of the Thanksgiving spread. So Campbell starts a special linen sale today at "The People's Store," with a line of full bleached satin-finished Scotch damask, finished alike on both sides, in half a dozen pretty designs at 85c a yard, with napkins to match, that will prove a veritable boon to many a housekeeper who is not quite certain that the linens she already has are a credit to her. This is only one feature of a splendid spread of the flax product. Do not miss the hemstitched table scarfs, that are another star feature of this trade event.

LOVERS IN YOUTH MARRIED IN OLD AGE.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—At the outbreak of the civil war, and on the eve of their wedding, Miss Rachel Phillips, living near Phillippi, W. Va., broke her betrothal with Jackson Boiyard because he sympathized with the confederacy. Heartbroken though he was, he fought for the cause he espoused. At the close of the conflict he heard that his sweetheart had married another. He returned to his home on the farm and a few years later he, too, married.

Death having recently made both of them free again, the old love was kindled and a few days ago he led his former sweetheart to the altar. She is 70; he 89. Their happiness seemed complete until a a son by a former marriage returned and drove the new bride away from the Boiyard home. She is very much grieved over the treatment.

FINDING OF BODIES CAUSES SUSPICION

Two Men Are Supposed to Have Been Murdered. Money Missing.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., Nov. 23.—John Black of Edinburg, aged 50 years and single, was found back of the Edinburg livery stable this morning dead, with a large ragged hole in the crown of his head. Foul play is suspected. The coroner will hold an inquest on the body, which is to be brought here. The last seen of Black alive was at 11 o'clock, when he wandered into the station of the Lake Erie railroad at Edinburg, when Agent Hoss, who says he thought Black looked as if he was intoxicated, helped him across the bridge to Edinburg and left him. Black was well known around here, being an agent for a nursery. He was a brother of Henry Black of Mahoningtown.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Last night at Coal Center the body of Casimer Breidis, aged 27, a miner, was found in an abandoned working with the head severely cut. Breidis lived in California, Pa., and is said to have a wife there. Saturday morning he started to work, having with him, it is supposed, $200. When it was found that he had not been seen at the mine a searching party was organized. An investigation will be made Monday. Breidis was well known here.

To Bridge the Beaver.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—John Warren of this place, John H. and W. A. Park of Freedom, Richard Holt of Beaver and J. D. White of Rochester, will on December 12 apply for a charter to build a bridge over the Beaver river between this place and New Brighton. It will be in two divisions, one for vehicle traffic and the other for foot passengers. It is also said it will be used as a means of crossing the river by the new street railway in the course of construction between this place and Rochester.

To Build Coke Ovens.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The Ohio Iron and Steel Company of Loveville has entered into an agreement with the Youngstown Iron, Sheet and Tube Company for the development of coal lands in West Virginia, purchased by the latter company, and for the building of coke ovens. Robert Bentley, the head of the Ohio company is also largely interested in the Orient Coke and Coal Company of Pittsburgh, headed by Julian Kennedy.

Big Tannery Sold.

LEWISTOWN, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.) The North American tannery here, owned by C. Calvin Greene & Son, was sold yesterday to George H. Maxwell of Titusville, for $55,000. Mr. Maxwell, who owns large tanning interests at Titusville, says the purchase is made to relieve the stress on the plant at Titusville, which has become somewhat handicapped by the scarcity of tanbark in that vicinity.

WEST VIRGINIA MAY CHANGE TAXATION

Commission Recommends That Real Estate Be Exempt from Assessment.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Nov. 23.—West Virginia is about to take a radical step in the matter of taxation. The state tax commission has formulated its report, and the principal feature of it is the recommendation that all taxes on real and personal property for state purposes shall be abolished. The taxation of property has hitherto been the basis of the state's revenue, but the proposition, which will probably be adopted by the legislature, is to let all property go tax-free and to raise all that is needed for state purposes—nearly $1,000,000 a year—in other ways.

License taxes are to take the place of taxes on property. The production of coal and oil, which are among the principal industries of the state, are to be taxed. A tax one one-third of a cent a ton on all coal produced in the state is recommended. A tax on oil and natural gas produced is to assist in producing the necessary income. Taxes on charters issued to corporations and annual license taxes on corporations will help to swell the state's revenues.

The taxes now assessed on brewers, distillers and liquor dealers will be raised, and license taxes will have to be paid by lawyers, doctors, dentists, embalmers and men in other professions.

The recommendation of the commission will go before the legislature in a few weeks. The new method will be an experiment, but it is held by the tax commission that it will provide sufficient revenue for all state purposes.

POLE SHOT DEAD.

Quarrel Over Love Affair Ends Fatally in Fayette County.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—A quarrel over a former love affair in Poland, it is alleged, caused Joseph Zuk to shoot Andy Skilla at No. 20 Lisenring. Both are Poles and loved the same girl and three months ago Skilla married her. Then both he and Zuk came to the United States, Skilla leaving his bride in Poland. Last night Zuk was drinking and renewed the quarrel with Skilla. In the yard of their boarding house Zuk, it is alleged, shot Skilla through the body.

Friends of Skilla held Zuk a prisoner until Sheriff Frock took him to jail. Skilla died at the Cottage State hospital here this afternoon after making a complete statement of the affair to County Detective Alex. McBeth. A charge of murder was made against Zuk.

Farmers Excited Over Oil Well.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The Real Estate and Mortgage Company, at a test well put down on the Harlison farm in White township, struck oil yesterday at about 1,500 feet. The oil is now flowing over the ground. The greatest excitement prevails among the farmers in the neighborhood and hundreds of persons visited the well today.

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IN the court of common pleas No. 2, No. 612, October term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for construction of a lateral sewer on Euclid avenue, from Wilson avenue to L. E. Umstead's east line, Tenth ward.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the court of common pleas, No. 2, of Allegheny county, in the foregoing matter, filed their report in said court on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1902, and unless exceptions thereto are filed within 30 days from said date of filing, their report will be confirmed absolutely.

Following is a schedule of the damages, costs and expenses of the improvement, the damages ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed as shown by the report and schedule filed in the court aforesaid.

WM. SPRAGUE,
JAS. C. VINCENT,
J. J. MATTHEWS,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $1,135 60.
Total cost of improvement, $1,135 60.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $1,135 60.

North Side—	
Mary Boyle (Otto M. Reif)	$ 273 60
M. Montooth	45 60
Mary Boyle	244 80
South Side—	
Mary Boyle	$ 114 00
E. E. H. Schmidt (J. B. Gallagher)	76 00
L. M. Jackson	38 00
Annie McN. Fielding (A. Workmeister)	38 00
A. Weller	38 00
A. Weller (E. J. Agnew)	38 00
L. L. Scott	38 00
A. B. Baker	38 00
D. L. Kistler	38 00
F. W. Bignell	38 00
L. E. Umstead	77 60
Total	$1,135 60

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

City of Allegheny nothing.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
WM. SPRAGUE,
JAS. C. VINCENT,
J. J. MATTHEWS,
Viewers.

Allegheny, Nov. 22, 1902.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 2, No. 613, October term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for construction of a lateral sewer on Euclid avenue, from Wilson avenue to L. E. Umstead's east line, Tenth ward.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the court of common pleas, No. 2, of Allegheny county, in the foregoing matter, filed their report in said court on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1902, and unless exceptions thereto are filed within 30 days from said date of filing, their report will be confirmed absolutely.

Following is a schedule of the damages, costs and expenses of the improvement, the damages ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed as shown by the report and schedule filed in the court aforesaid.

WM. SPRAGUE,
JAS. C. VINCENT,
J. J. MATTHEWS,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $683 85.
Total cost of improvement, $683 85.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $683 85.

East Side—	
David Barkley	$
John Gass (Geo. F. Gass)	80 00
John Gass	40 00
R. K. Cochran	40 00
Lewis H. Cochran	40 00
Robt. K. Cochran	40 00
Wm. P. Cochran	40 00
Geo. A. Cochran, Jr.	40 00
Lorenz Wiese	40 00
John Zoballs	40 00
West Side—	
Leonard Boston	$ 10 00
Geo. Zurenberg	10 00
Francis Milligan	20 00
Chas. Seelhorst	10 00
Henry Fisher	10 00
W. V. Braddock	10 00
Mark E. Head	10 00
Edith L. Baker	10 00
Frank Wilde	10 00
Total	$500 00

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

Brought forward	$500 00
City of Allegheny	183 85
Total	$683 85

All of which is respectfully submitted.
WM. SPRAGUE,
JAS. C. VINCENT,
J. J. MATTHEWS,
Viewers.

Allegheny, November 22, 1902.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 494, August term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the grading, paving, curbing and damage by grade of Garfield avenue, from Arlington avenue to West Jefferson street, Second ward.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the court of common pleas, No. 3, of Allegheny county, in the foregoing matter, filed their report in the said court on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1902, and unless exceptions thereto are filed within thirty days from said date of filing, their report will be confirmed absolutely.

Following is a schedule of the damages, costs and expenses of the improvement, the damages ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed as shown by the report and schedule filed in the court aforesaid.

S. A. PURVIS,
JAMES B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $1,157 56.
Total cost of improvement, $1,157 56.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $1,157 56.

East Side—	
J. P. McKee	$ 330 92
John Dunwoody	112 28
A. M. Wolf (Martha Frey)	224 56
F. Eisenbeis	500 00
Rebecca Street—	
Wm. Glesencamp	$ 206 88
F. Hollman	258 60
West Side—	
A. W. Donaldson	$ 378 03
Mrs. R. Hastings	150 00
Edmund Johnston	503 42
Rebecca Street—	
Lee & Hamilton	$ 202 36
Lee & Hamilton	291 60
W. J. Harris	437 92
Wm. Pore	488 46
Total	$4,204 03

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

Brought forward	$4,204 03
City of Allegheny	107 60
Total	$4,311 63

All of which is respectfully submitted.
S. A. PURVIS,
JAS. B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

Allegheny, November 22, 1902.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 495, August term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for

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and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a lateral sewer on Humboldt street, from Boston street to Bakewell street, Eleventh ward.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the court of common pleas, No. 3, of Allegheny county, in the foregoing matter, filed their report in the said court on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1902, and unless exceptions thereto are filed within thirty days from said date of filing, their report will be confirmed absolutely.

Following is a schedule of the damages, costs and expenses of the improvement, the damages ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed as shown by the report and schedule filed in the court aforesaid.

WM. SPRAGUE,
JAS. C. VINCENT,
J. J. MATTHEWS,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $683 85.
Total cost of improvement, $683 85.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $683 85.

East Side—	
David Barkley	$
John Gass (Geo. F. Gass)	80 00
John Gass	40 00
R. K. Cochran	40 00
Lewis H. Cochran	40 00
Robt. K. Cochran	40 00
Wm. P. Cochran	40 00
Geo. A. Cochran, Jr.	40 00
Lorenz Wiese	40 00
John Zoballs	40 00
West Side—	
Leonard Boston	$ 10 00
Geo. Zurenberg	10 00
Francis Milligan	20 00
Chas. Seelhorst	10 00
Henry Fisher	10 00
W. V. Braddock	10 00
Mark E. Head	10 00
Edith L. Baker	10 00
Frank Wilde	10 00
Total	$500 00

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

Brought forward	$500 00
City of Allegheny	183 85
Total	$683 85

All of which is respectfully submitted.
WM. SPRAGUE,
JAS. C. VINCENT,
J. J. MATTHEWS,
Viewers.

Allegheny, November 22, 1902.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 493, August term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the grading, paving, curbing and damage by grade of Belmont street, from Western avenue to Ridge avenue, Fifth ward.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the court of common pleas, No. 3, of Allegheny county, in the foregoing matter, filed their report in the said court on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1902, and unless exceptions thereto are filed within thirty days from said date of filing, their report will be confirmed absolutely.

Following is a schedule of the damages, costs and expenses of the improvement, the damages ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed as shown by the report and schedule filed in the court aforesaid.

S. A. PURVIS,
JAS. B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $4,311 63.
Total cost of improvement, $4,311 63.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $4,311 63.

East Side—	
J. P. McKee	$ 330 92
John Dunwoody	112 28
A. M. Wolf (Martha Frey)	224 56
F. Eisenbeis	500 00
Rebecca Street—	
Wm. Glesencamp	$ 206 88
F. Hollman	258 60
West Side—	
A. W. Donaldson	$ 378 03
Mrs. R. Hastings	150 00
Edmund Johnston	503 42
Rebecca Street—	
Lee & Hamilton	$ 202 36
Lee & Hamilton	291 60
W. J. Harris	437 92
Wm. Pore	488 46
Total	$4,204 03

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

Brought forward	$4,204 03
City of Allegheny	107 60
Total	$4,311 63

All of which is respectfully submitted.
S. A. PURVIS,
JAS. B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

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efited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $1,157 56.

East Side—	
Mrs. E. Casper (T. R. Pittock)	$ 355 12
E. Covert (A. M. Covert)	240 24
West Side—	
S. A. Mooney	$ 306 90
W. J. Hulbert	246 30
Total	$1,157 56

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

City of Allegheny, nothing.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
S. A. PURVIS,
JAMES B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

Allegheny, November 22, 1902.

IN the court of common pleas, No. 3, No. 496, August term, 1902.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the grading, paving, curbing and damage by grade of Belmont street, from Western avenue to Ridge avenue, Fifth ward.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the court of common pleas, No. 3, of Allegheny county, in the foregoing matter, filed their report in the said court on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1902, and unless exceptions thereto are filed within thirty days from said date of filing, their report will be confirmed absolutely.

Following is a schedule of the damages, costs and expenses of the improvement, the damages ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed as shown by the report and schedule filed in the court aforesaid.

S. A. PURVIS,
JAS. B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $4,311 63.
Total cost of improvement, $4,311 63.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $4,311 63.

East Side—	
J. P. McKee	$ 330 92
John Dunwoody	112 28
A. M. Wolf (Martha Frey)	224 56
F. Eisenbeis	500 00
Rebecca Street—	
Wm. Glesencamp	$ 206 88
F. Hollman	258 60
West Side—	
A. W. Donaldson	$ 378 03
Mrs. R. Hastings	150 00
Edmund Johnston	503 42
Rebecca Street—	
Lee & Hamilton	$ 202 36
Lee & Hamilton	291 60
W. J. Harris	437 92
Wm. Pore	488 46
Total	$4,204 03

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

Brought forward	$4,204 03
City of Allegheny	107 60
Total	$4,311 63

All of which is respectfully submitted.
S. A. PURVIS,
JAS. B. DUFF,
WM. SPRAGUE,
Viewers.

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the construction of a main sewer on Benton avenue, from Brighton road to Lapish road, Eleventh ward.

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S. A. PURVIS,
THOS. R. HERD,
DANIEL M'WILLIAMS,
Viewers.

ASSESSMENT OF COST AND EXPENSES.

Total costs and expenses, $8,894 00.
Total cost of improvement, $8,894 00.

SCHEDULE.

Assessment of properties peculiarly benefited to pay total damages, costs and expenses.

Total damages, costs and expenses, $8,894 00.

South Side—	
Annie E. Langenheim	$ 100 00
Pacific Avenue—	
A. H. Gerwig	$ 400 00
Atlantic Avenue—	
John Kaiser	$ 114 00
T. M. Haller	76 00
Martin Haller	70 00
Anna K. Fey	80 00
Robt. Fogue	90 00
Samuel D. Strassburger	400 00
Cleveland Avenue—	
John Walker	$ 220 00
Mrs. M. Sellers	230 00
C. W. Dahlinger	144 00
R. H. Gilliford (C. W. Dahlinger)	48 00
C. W. Dahlinger	96 00
Sarah Fester	120 00
Parnell Street—	
Charles Somers	60 00
Geo. H. Tatnal	48 00
F. Forshaw	48 00
Catherine Howard	144 00
John O'Neil	48 00
James O'Neil	48 00
E. Harvey	48 00
John Neun	48 00
Margaret Neun	144 00
Hoffman Street—	
T. Butler	$ 64 00
Margaret McCrory	48 00
Thos. McNally (Mary McNally)	288 00
Chas. Somers	48 00
B. Sweeney	200 00
Lapish road—	
North Side—	
A. M. Gerspechlager	$ 60 00
John G. Mueller	200 00
Pacific Avenue—	
C. B. Sweeney	$ 60 00
C. E. Sweeney	48 00
John E. Ainsworth	48 00
John W. Ainsworth	48 00
John G. Mueller	144 00
Mrs. C. Bordt	48 00
Rosina Collins	48 00
Atlantic Avenue—	
Herman Langhaus	$ 32 00
Louis Smith	48 00
H. G. Patterson	48 00
Nancy Patterson	48 00
Fred. Mehr	96 00
Bertha Gruber	96 00
Chas. E. Ellis	48 00
V. Proellcher	48 00
John G. Mueller	48 00
H. Langhaus	96 00
Wm. Hoffman, estate	2,200 00
Total	$7,138 00

Amount assessed against the city of Allegheny, being the difference between the total amount of damages, costs and expenses of said improvement and the total amount of special or peculiar benefits.

Brought forward	$7,138 00
City of Allegheny	1,756 00
Total	$8,894 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.
S. A. PURVIS,
THOS. R. HERD,
DANIEL M'WILLIAMS,
Viewers.

Allegheny, November 22, 1902.

THOBURN'S CALL TO METHODISM

Allegheny Minister Says That His Church Grows Inactive.

MUST ROUSE TO WORK

Ancient Spirit of Soul-Saving and Revivalism Lost—"We Have Been Making Preachers and Smothering Witnesses."

The Rev. James M. Thoburn, pastor of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny, preached a sermon yesterday morning on "Methodism's Mistake." His text was taken from Jer viii:22, "Is there no balm in Gilead, is there no physician there? Why then is not the health of the daughter of my people recovered?" Dr. Thoburn said in part:

Methodism is no longer a small church. It is one of the great religious bodies of the world, with 3,000,000 members and $50,000,000 worth of property. We were called into existence to be a soul-saving church—a recruiting station for heaven. We stand for a clearly defined type of religious life. We ought to be the best church in the world, because we are the latest on the field, and combine the best features of all the others. And yet, during the last quardentium we have not grown enough to justify an annual conference singing the doxology. But for the recruits we have had from our foreign mission fields, our statistics would make us hide our faces with shame. What is the matter?

We have slipped a cog in our religious experience. There are three witnesses to the truth of redemption on earth. The spirit, the water and the blood. The real witness is the spirit. Without this witness, even the two sacraments are lifeless and inoperative. The water and the blood are voices of past history, but they are all many Methodists have to show their standing with God. As we have let go the witness of the spirit, we have lost the power of testimony. This has been the most silent decade Methodism has ever known. We have been making preachers and smothering witnesses.

We have grown worldly and formal. Our members are often more familiar with the word "compromise" than they are with the word "consecrate." We are ambitious to be like other people, no matter how it may affect our standing with God. We need to tone up spiritually.

We often appear to be "above our business." Other churches are fast taking our place, as revival forces in the world. We forget our ancestry. They were the men who turned the world upside down. We are quenching our altar fires, and preaching a gospel that makes sinners laugh, instead of weep. When men were stupefied with sin, we could rouse them. But in these days, when they are infatuated instead of stupefied, we seem powerless.

No wonder the people are asking, "What is the matter with the Methodist church?" Because we do not do our best, the world questions our creed. Is there any balm in Gilead? Is Jesus, the mighty to save? The gospel is still the power of God unto salvation. We need no more miracles or Bible, but only to use what God has placed in our hands. The gospel dispensation is complete and replete. It is a wicked world, but it has been redeemed. Let us prove the record true once more.

DRINK AND SUCCESS ARE INCOMPATIBLE

The Rev. C. F. Wishart Gives Young Men Some Material Reasons for Abstinence.

At the Eleventh United Presbyterian church, Allegheny, yesterday morning, the Rev. Charles F. Wishart preached a sermon on "Strong Drink Versus the Strenuous Life." His text was taken from I Corinthians, ix:26: So fight I, not as one that beateth the air." Mr. Wishart said in part:

If there ever was a time which demands the best that a man has in him, it is the age in which we live. To win success under present industrial and business conditions demands the very closest concentration and the most resolute industry. To use our powers to the greatest effect, means a sound mind in a sound body, a clear brain, a steady nerve and a dominating will. It is coming to be understood more and more by the business world that these things are incompatible with the drink habit. Call it by what name you will, the thing demanded by the tremendous responsibilities and the nerve-racking stress of these strenuous times is the thing which the gospel of Jesus Christ puts into a man's life.

Moral character is a business asset in times when vast volumes of business must rest on the confidence which one man has in another. To be free from worry is an essential of the man who would carry the immense responsibilities of modern business and industrial activity. And so the business world wants strong men—not those who good themselves to their work by stimulants—but those who regard their bodies as the temples of the Holy Ghost, and who take care to have those temples strong, clean and comely.

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY.

Aged Butler County Couple Celebrate Fifty Years of Wedded Life Amid Throng of Descendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hazlett Moore of Worth township, Butler county, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding on Saturday, and as a befitting accompaniment it was made the occasion of a reunion of the descendants of the aged couple, nearly all of whom are living and were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore have lived practically all their wedded life on the farm which they purchased in 1856, and it was here that the family gathered to honor their parents. Mr. Moore is very prominent in school and political affairs in the county. He has held many offices of public trust, and was reared in the United Presbyterian faith. He was born in Muddy Creek township in 1829, and comes of a good old Scotch-Irish family. The marriage occurred November 22, 1853; Mrs. Moore's maiden name being Katherine Jane Patterson. Five children were born of the union and those having married there were present 27 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren at the reunion dinner.

The children are: Mrs. J. M. Hunt of Harlansburg, Mrs. J. W. Phillips of Hailey, Mo., Mrs. Samuel Kildoo of Harlansburg, the Rev. John Milton Moore, pastor of the Wilkinsburg Baptist church, and Nancy Edith, wife of the Rev. J. L. Updegraph, pastor of the Church of God, Pittsburgh. Like their parents, the grandchildren are scattered through a number of states. One, Miss Adeline Hunt, is a school teacher in Edwards, Miss.

AIDING CHOLERA VICTIMS.

Gen. Davis Orders Distributions of Relief in Infected Towns.

MANILA, Nov. 23.—The cholera is spreading among the Moro towns on the west coast of Mindanao, and there is much destitution among the people. Quarantine increases the suffering by stopping work and the movement of supplies.

Gen. Davis has telegraphed to Gen. Sumner directing the distribution of food supplies to the sufferers in the infected and quarantined towns. The disease is disappearing from this city.

Some Substantial Reasons For American Thanksgiving.

The Rev. S. Edward Young in his Thanksgiving sermon yesterday morning said:

"What would you call good times if these be not? Pile the world's wealth in mountains nation high and ours is loftiest by twenty-five billion. Estimate per capita and the American citizen is two times richer than the next richest and fifty times richer than the denizen of the poorest foreign country.

"Are not our farm products one billion dollars more this year than six years ago? Is not the wage-level higher than ever before in human history? Think of the nation's bank deposits being two and one-fifth times larger today than half a dozen years ago, of Pittsburgh having eleven more banks than last year at this time, with twelve million dollars increase of bank capital, eighteen million increase of surplus and earnings, thirty-four million increase of deposits, sixty-four million increase of loans and investments!"

CHURCH'S GREAT OPPORTUNITY

Lone Welsh Missionary from America Tells of Benighted India.

WANTS AIDS IN WORK

Says That Sacrifices of Men and Money Must Be Made If Land Is to Be Redeemed from Heathenism and Superstition.

The Rev. Thomas John Jones, the sole missionary of the Welsh Presbyterians of America in India, who arrived here on Saturday night, preached a sermon last night in the chapel of the Pittsburgh Academy, where the congregation of the old Second Avenue Welsh Presbyterian church is worshiping. His subject was "The Claims of India Upon America, and the Obstacles to Teaching the Gospel There." Mr. Jones said in part:

The claims of India upon us, is its vast population, having as it does, the old religions, Hindooism, Mohammedanism, Buddhism and Parseeism which are a great power in the country, keeping the people so that they do not get hold of the higher light of Christianity. The main obstacle to the success of the gospel is the prejudice of the natives against white people. This is based on the fact that the British have taken their country from them.

The Indians are slow to think that the motive in offering them a new religion, is a good one. The superstition of the people is another great obstacle. They must have education to make them appreciate the truths of Christianity.

Caste System a Hinderance.

The caste system is another hinderance to preaching the gospel. There are four divisions, or great castes, and it is impossible to enter one from another. To break caste, as they say, is a great sin, and parents have been known to poison their children when they become Christians.

Another obstacle is the philosophical system of India. One of them is distinctly atheistic, another pantheistic, and others are mystical and logical theories. But all tend to make the mind slow to appreciate Christian truths.

The religions of India are still another drawback to the successful preaching of the gospel. The Hindoos are essentially religious, but their religion, Hindooism, does not produce a high type of morality. The religiousness of the people is shown by their devotion to ceremony, by their self-sacrifice in making pilgrimages, inflicting upon themselves hardships, such as extending their hands, until they wither, and lying on beds of nails.

Mohammedorism is monotheistic and acknowledges Christ as a prophet and even as a sinless prophet. But Mohammedans are characterized by their hatred toward Christianity. They are religious, but their religion is confined to ceremonial observance.

Christianity's Great Opportunity.

But little has been done by these religions to raise the people, while Christianity has indirectly, caused the abolition of the suttee, and of cruelities, such as swinging of people before idols by means of hooks imbedded in their bodies, and the casting of children into the River Ganges by their mothers. It revivified these religions and made them even better than before. According to Keshub Chundersen, the great reformer of India, Christianity has given a new light to that country.

Directly Christianity has become a power. It now had nearly 3,000,000 adherents in India and is steadily growing. The latest statistics show that during the last decade, Hindooism has increased 3 per cent, Mohammedanism 7 per cent, and Christianity 70 per cent. Lord Curzon, the viceroy of India, says: "India is the most precious pearl in the crown of Great Britain." My comment on it is, that it has cost millions of pounds and the lives of thousands of men to accomplish this, but the returns are satisfactory. So if we want to have India as a pearl in the crown of Jesus Christ, the church of Christ must be ready to sacrifice men and money.

Mr. Jones will leave Pittsburgh today to make a tour of Ohio, visiting the Welsh settlements there. He hopes to obtain additional missionaries to take back to India with him, when he goes next fall.

THANKSGIVING.

The Rev. John A. Jayne Gives Reasons We Have for It.

At the Observatory Hill Christian church, Allegheny, yesterday morning the Rev. John A. Jayne preached upon the theme "Thanksgiving In Our Hearts." He said in part:

Songs of thanksgiving and praise are as old as the hills. Before the earth and the dry land was formed we are told the "sons of God sang together and all the stars shouted for joy. The heart that delights to do God's will also delights to render Him thanksgiving for all His mercies and kindnesses. Wherever you find a praying heart there you will find a thankful spirit. Generosity on the part of those able to give and gratitude on the part of those receiving are born of the same spirit.

Truly, said Pope, "Whenever I find a great deal of gratitude in a poor man I take it for granted there would be as much generosity if he were a rich man." At this season of the year, when mother nature has provided a bounteous harvest, when industry was never better paid, when there was never a better financial system, when our markets are overcrowded and our outputs tremendous, surely this is a proper time to praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

AMERICA NEEDS A PURER BALLOT

Minister Says Political Corruption Threatens Future of Nation.

A SERMON TO JUNIORS

Importance of Civic Duties Impressed on American Mechanics—Rev. Chas. M. Miller Says Morals Are in Low Condition.

Over 300 members of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics attended the Bingham Street Methodist Episcopal church, South Side, yesterday morning, and listened to a sermon by the Rev. Charles M. Miller. Special music of a high class was furnished by the choir. Mr. Miller said in part:

This occasion affords an opportunity to study the duties devolving upon us as American citizens. Our duty is to do all in our power to perpetuate the civil blessings which have been handed down to us.

Our prosperity is in danger. Kings and lords of Europe are in a quandary. St. Andrew's new rector advises the United States of Europe, with European William of Germany as leader, to meet our aggression. Read history. Do nations die? Is there a mortality among monarchs and republics?

The rise and fall of the Roman empire tells the story of Rome. Governments do perish, and into the same graveyard will go the United States, unless there be a voice to call a halt. Unless God interferes and a purified ballot is obtained, the catastrophe will surely envelope us.

The first danger to throttle is political bribery. Once it was considered a crime, now it is considered a tolerable virtue. Another danger is the low state of public morals. Fraud and drunkenness and lechery will destroy our nation.

This is the world's temperance day. There is almost a total disregard to the observance of the law. The dance hall is still selling liquor and this is condoned. Within one square of this church is a saloon called on the streets, "The Kindergarten Saloon," or "Kids' Palace." Age is no limit.

It should cause some alarm that the Bible is being gradually pushed out of the public school, lower and higher. The recent decision of the supreme court of Nebraska is an unpleasant reminder. The opposition came from the Romanists, Hebrews and infidels.

With all, this nation is not going to die. God's hand is on us for good. It was not a mere accident that caused Columbus to reach San Salvador, or the Mayflower to reach Plymouth Rock.

Remember that having is rising. Idleness is paralysis. We shall keep the country by consecration, by earnest prayer and by the maintenance of Christian institutions, in whose interest we meet today.

In the afternoon a largely attended temperance rally was held in the Bingham Street church. The Rev. E. L. Eaton, pastor of the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny, presided.

MORTGAGE BURNED DURING SERVICES

Friendship Park M. E. Congregation Watches It Disappear in Smoke.

An interesting mortgage service was held in the Friendship Park Methodist Episcopal church, Liberty avenue and Mathilda street, East End, last night. A mortgage for $2,500, which was paid last week, was burned on a plate on the platform by the Rev. T. N. Boyle, presiding elder of the Pittsburgh district.

The Friendship Park church was built in 1895, and moragages aggregating $10,000 placed upon it. This with a floating debt of $5,000, made the church's entire indebtedness $15,000. Up to last week one-half of this amount has been paid. This includes the mortgage burned last night.

The Rev. R. I. McKee, pastor of the church, arranged for the service of last night. Dr. Boyle preached a sermon on "The Church Union of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Pittsburgh." At the conclusion of his remarks, the Rev. Mr. McKee placed the paid mortgage on a plate. The presiding elder struck a match and lit it. Amid the burning of the document the congregation arose and sang the doxology.

The musical program was elaborate.

To the Public.

We respectfully invite the public to our office, Arrott building, room 1502, to witness in operation the wonderful OPTHALMO OSCILLATOR, for the cure of blindness and all diseases of the eye.

Lower Fares to Chicago Via Pennsylvania Lines

Will be in effect November 29th and December 1st, 2d and 3d, account the third annual International Live Stock Exposition. The low rate may be taken advantage of by the general public, who may purchase tickets at Pittsburgh city ticket office, No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner entrance on Smithfield street; at Pittsburgh Union station; at Fort Wayne station, Allegheny, and other ticket offices on the Pennsylvania lines.

VOTES OF WOMEN TO FIGHT LIQUOR

Temperance Advocates Have New Plan of Battle Against Rum Traffic.

INFLUENCE FOR GOOD

Their Power Could Be Wielded by Requiring Sobriety, Honor and Purity of Men Who Seek to Marry Them.

The enthusiasm was great at the celebration of the World's Temperance Day yesterday afternoon in the Sixth United Presbyterian church. Resolutions were passed supporting the McCumber anti-liquor bill, and the contemplated legislation prohibiting the sale of intoxicants to immigrants.

The fight against the rum power, as shown in the addresses of the speakers will be waged by the temperance workers of this city by granting the right of suffrage to women.

"We cannot close the grog shops with petitions, with resolutions, with pledges, or with prayers," said the Rev. Dr. W. B. Slutz of the Lincoln Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, "but we can vote them shut, and the only way to accomplish that is to give the Christian women of the land the right of the free ballot in municipal elections."

The Rev. Wilbur F. Curtis of the National Reform association of Washington, D. C., was in the city and addressed the meeting. He gave an outline of the work which had been carried out through the country, and presented the two resolutions, which were promptly acted upon. The other speakers were the Rev. Dr. W. I. Russell, pastor of the East End Christian church; the Rev. Dr. Vibbert of Philadelphia, and the Rev. Robert M. Russell, pastor of the Sixth United Presbyterian church. Miss Charlotte Wagner assisted in the musical program. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Loyal Temperance Legion of the East End. Five hundred young people in the East End signed the pledge.

Dr. Russell said in part:

The wonderful valley of diamonds described by Ruskin in his "Ethics of the Dust," was to the artist critic a vision of our Mammon age; but to us it is a picture of the evil of modern society. Evil like a huge valley, lies among the mountains of society. It is gilded and lighted, decorated and beautified. The question is forced upon us time and again, What attitude should our young men and women assume toward the gigantic, organized, legalized saloon traffic?

Our young men never think of marrying young women who are intemperate in their lives. On the contrary, they demand wives of culture and angelic purity, and—too often, even in their impurity—get she hand they ask for. How long will it continue that the beautiful dower of womanhood, in its excellency, shall be given into the keeping of men whose finer feelings have been dulled by drink, and who have been taught to undervalue all that belongs to true womanhood?

Has the time come when our young women should require purity for purity, honor for honor, temperance for sobriety, and devotion for love?

GREAT FUTURE FOR AMERICA'S YOUNG MEN

Dr. Levy Points Out the Enormous Possibilities Granted Them.

The fifth Sunday service of the present series was held yesterday by the Reform Congregation Rodeph Shalom. The lecture, delivered by the Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy, was on the subject "Youth and Its Visions." In the course of his address the rabbi said:

This is youth's opportunity. Today is the era of youth. Age, of course, is now as ever, necessary to steady youth's impulse, to add the weight of its experience, to sober and strengthen. Look where you will today, you will find youth occupying the prominent places of the world and conducting its affairs surely and safely.

At the head of this, our beloved country, is a young man called to the greatest official dignity the world offers man, at the age of 42. The mightiest corporate body on earth, the United States Steel Corporation, is presided over by a young man. When a Havana is to be cleansed, a Leonard Wood, a young general, is sent to undertake the work. When a Santiago harbor is to be blocked, a young Hobson is sent to sink the Merrimac. And if youth and its visions are doubted, then the fact that this nation, though the youngest on earth is yet the greatest, should remove all scepticism and inspire us all with a hopeful enthusiasm for righteous endeavor.

Tomorrow is the child of today. We are now carving the statue of the future civilization. We are breaking from the misshapen block the chips that impede the appearance of the form beautiful. It is youth's important task to hope under the wise counsel of age; it is its privilege to roar in the light of the experience, which age alone can tell. But let youth have its visions. Let it indulge its day dreams.

Let it remain true to the pictures which insight draws. "God, fatherland, virtue"—let these be its aims, and the future will arise a rosy-fingered morn, which shall grow more and more until the perfect day.

REPORTED ON HIS WORK.

The Rev. W. J. Bucher of Braddock in Celebrating an Anniversary Reviewed the Church Work.

The Rev. William J. Bucher, pastor of the First English Lutheran church, Fifth street, Braddock, yesterday observed the fourth anniversary of his pastorate. The Rev. Mr. Bucher made a short statement of his work, in which he said that during the last year he made 1,001 pastoral visits; delivered 115 sermons and 55 addresses; conducted five funerals, six weddings; baptized 32 infants and received 52 adults into membership.

A mortgage against the church was lifted, and over $2,000 was raised to do this. The church debt now is only $440. In the past four years 146 adults and 71 children have been received into the church, and the present membership is 381. Over $8,000 was contributed by the congregation.

Beauty and Health

The beauty doctors and masseuses are marching with the times. They do not try to make their patrons what they ought to have, or what is good for them, but they strive to give them what they want. For instance, some women do not want to be made consistently and symmetrically thin. They want simply to get rid of their hips or their double chins or their fat throats. The operator may have her own ideas, but she says nothing—and rubs. Then, again, there are women who have tried every imaginable variety of beauty cure from steaming to Swedish calisthenics, and what they want is novelty more than help. For these the beauty doctor has "new systems" and "unique methods" and "original treatments," "imported at enormous expense from Hindustan or Siam"—like the Barnum white elephant.

Vanity Makes Money For Beauty Doctors.

The advertisements of these caterers to the vanity of human nature are feats of ingenuity. For example: "Sylph soap will reduce the figure and whiten the skin at the same time. During one month, among 27 clients, minimum loss four pounds in one week; maximum loss, nine pounds in one week. Proofs of the accuracy of this statement to be seen at Mme. Dimple's."

Another advertiser in a fashionable neighborhood adjures the beauty seeker to try "strap massage," whatever that may be. It hasn't a reassuring sound, at any rate, and reminds one of the knout and the cat-o'-nine-tails and other unpleasant things with which it has doubtless nothing in common.

A "qualified doctor and trained nurse has brought her long experience to bear upon the ills that ruin a woman's beauty," and has invented a treatment for obesity, moth patches, freckles, pale cheeks and nervousness, which is "a mixture of soothing oils, electricity and massage."

But most wonderful of all is a new shrinking process by which the cumbersome lady is made to evaporate even as the new winter flannels do when put in a tub of the careless laundress. This curious treatment is called "light baths," and "the effect is almost instantaneous, the figure becoming slighter in a few moments!" Now, surely that is instantaneous enough to suit the most exacting woman.

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The kaiserin is justly proud of her beautiful figure. She is slender and most graceful; her figure is her greatest beauty—one might perhaps say her only beauty. It has been a labor to bring about this desirable state of things, and it has taken some time, for the kaiserin was inclined to be decidedly stout some years ago. Her majesty had a horror of fat, and took herself sternly in hand.

The Kaiserin's Obesity Cure.

With the aid of a competent medical man, and with a strong will, she set to work at Abbazia to counteract her tendency to corpulency, and it was just in time. The cure worked rapidly, as everyone remembers, but, unfortunately, her majesty overdid it, and her hair turned gray—later on to snowy white. The kaiser did not like that, but, as nothing could be done, he consoled himself with the fact that his wife's face had remained young and she had obtained a perfect figure.

The kaiserin keeps herself rigidly to her fixed plan of living. She drinks hardly anything. It was noticed at the opening of the Lette haus at Berlin recently that, though she ate a hearty lunch, she drank nothing. She is most careful what she eats, in spite of a healthy appetite. Potatoes, sugar and bread have no part in her bill of fare.

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Street skirts may be a bit more full about the hips, but many women will protest against this. Some new skirts have plaits at the top, but they are stitched down, and the tucks are grouped in various ways to offset the tendency to fullness. Skirts with a plain yoke, the fullness below plaited or tucked, are seen, and skirts that fit closely all around show a three-inch box plait at the back stitched down, or a group of smaller plaits stitched down. As to length, in evening gowns there is still the long sweep at back and sides, but many street gowns in velvet and cloth are comparatively short, some just clearing the ground and others not trailing more than two inches. These are rather long in front and at the sides.

Skirts for the Street.

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How many housekeepers know that the air of their rooms in winter is often laden with poisonous vapors. Decaying vegetables in the cellar, old flowers in stagnant water, somebody's neglected garbage pail, even a badly ventilated room—all of these are responsible for unhappiness, peevishness and sickness. Rooms may be warm and pure. The cold room is not always the well-ventilated one. Attention to the air we breathe is quite as necessary as the food we eat.

Pure Air.

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For the dining room, sewing room and bed room the bare floor is undoubtedly best from every standpoint. If a properly laid hardwood floor is out of the question, then its poor relation, the painted or stained floor, may be made to answer very well. Bare floors do not get full of germs, dust and moths, and are easily cleaned; they greatly lighten the labor of periodical house cleaning, and after contagious sickness they do not need special fumigating. If a floor is in bad condition it will probably take a carpenter but a short time to improve it by nailing down loose ends, filling cracks and smoothing off knots, for in these days of mushroom building it is a rare treat to find a dwelling place with smooth, close, firm and level floors. If it is necessary to remove remnants of former paintings, wash the floor in a strong solution of potash, scrape with a steel scraper or an old blunt meat chopper, and then sandpaper. Dry thoroughly, sweep with a hair brush, and apply the paint or stain. Light colors are preferable to dark ones, as they are not only more cheerful, but they do not show the dust so much if neglected a day or two.

The Uncarpeted Floor.

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Small dinners, in point of numbers of guests, have long been considered smart, but during the past season at Newport and Bar Harbor dinners, at which large numbers were present, even running up to 100 guests, were quite au fait. In nearly every case round tables were used, so that the formal table d'hote effect of a long, large dinner table was avoided. These tables were frequently arranged around a center table, at which the host, hostess and guests of honor were seated, or around a bank of foliage and flowers, which formed part of the decorations of the room.

Small Dinners Are Smartest.

In the decoration of the tables are used simple garlands of blossoms, ranging from the commonplace garden flowers to the rarest orchids, arranged in handsome silver vases, not standing too high. Perfect art rather than an elaborate display is sought after. The disapproval of King Edward of excessive extravagance in floral decoration of the dinner table is said to have brought about this reform in dinner-giving.

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Attitude during sleep is of the greatest importance, both in its immediate and far-reaching effects. Up to the age of 19 or 20 we do the greater part of our growing and developing during sleep, and it is therefore very important that the young should be taught to assume a natural, restful and straight position when going to sleep. The writer knows a young woman who has been an invalid for years, and her case has just been diagnosed as spinal curvature. During her growing years and later that girl, in spite of all remonstrances, persisted in lying in bed curled up with her knees almost touching her chin.

Sleeping Straight.

DO NOT DOSE THE STOMACH.

Cure Catarrh by Nature's Own Method—Every Breath of Hyomei Brings Relief.

Nearly every one who has catarrh knows how foolish it is to try and cure it by drugging the stomach. Temporary relief may be given, but a cure seldom comes.

Until recently your physician would have said the only way to cure catarrh would be to have a change of climate; but now with Hyomei you can carry a health giving climate in your vest pocket and by breathing it a few minutes four times a day soon cure yourself.

The complete outfit of Hyomei costs but $1.00 and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The inhaler lasts a lifetime and there is enough Hyomei for more than a month's treatment of catarrh. If one bottle does not cure, an extra bottle of Hyomei can be obtained for 50 cents. It is the most economical of all remedies advertised for the cure of catarrh, and is the only one that follows nature in her method of treating diseases of the respiratory organs.

The leading druggists of this city have sold hundreds of Hyomei outfits and the more they sell, the more convinced they are that they are perfectly safe in guaranteeing to refund the money if Hyomei does not cure.

Those who are subject to catarrh or catarrhal colds will do themselves an injustice if they do not purchase a Hyomei outfit at once, so as to be prepared for the sudden changes of the season.

DR. PATTON TALKED ON "LATENT FAITH"

Described Classes of Believers Familiar to Students of Religious Thought.

The Rev. Francis L. Patton, president of Princeton Theological seminary, occupied the pulpit in the Third Presbyterian church yesterday morning and preached a sermon on "Latent Faith." Dr. Patton has been delivering a course of lectures in Dr. McEwan's church, and his occupancy of the pulpit attracted a large attendance. Besides the sermon, excellent music was rendered. Dr. Patton took his text from Acts xxvi:27, "King Agrippa, believest thou the prophets? I know that thou believest." He said in part:

When Paul spoke to King Agrippa, as the text shows he did, he used tact he knew whereof he spoke, and spoke in a gentlemanly manner. He knew the limitations of the man to whom he addressed his remark. So it is with preachers of the gospel. They must be certain that they are understood.

Just the reverse of this is the dealing with latent faith, invis be faith. There are several kinds. The kind that pretends to be better than it is, that kind we call a hypocite. The kind that knows less than it thinks it knows, and the kind that pretends it is worse than it really is. For this latter, we have no adequate name, but it is in the same class as the hypocrite.

To take up the class that knows more than it thinks it does about Christianity. This kind has no confidence in its intellectual integrity. If you say to a man, the square of the hypothenuse is equal to the square of the other two sides of a triangle and he says no it isn't. You say to him isn't this so? and that? Finally he is forced to admit that the proposition is right and that he really knew all the time but did not realize that he did. That is the way with the kind that have a latent faith, that they know nothing about.

Then there are those that pretend they are good, and have more faith than they think they have. Every day you see the strong man who will worst a weaker man in an argument about the latter's religion. Just place the strong man face to face with a bigoted infidel, and he defends his faith in a vigorous manner, showing that way down in his heart he really believes in God and has faith.

There is always the kind of a man who goes about pretending that he is very bad; much worse than he really is. He is usually to be found in the very young men who attend our colleges. He says things before old people that are calculated to shock them. But his efforts to make himself appear bad are palpable. Years is the only thing that will save this example of latent faith.

Dr. Patton preached a sermon on "The Epistles of Paul" in the Third Presbyterian church last night. He will conclude his course of lectures tonight, when he will speak on "The Divine Purpose."

FOR STREET CHILDREN.

Probationary Officer Tells of Work Among Juvenile Court Offenders.

In nearly all the cities of the state, since the institution of the courts for juvenile offenders, the different religious bodies have appointed officers known as probationaries, to assist the police officials in the discharge of their duties, but more particularly to work the possible reformation of the little street arabs. One of these probationaries, Mrs. Montgomery of Philadelphia talked last night at the North Presbyterian church, Lincoln and Grant avenues, Allegheny, on "The Children of the Street."

Mrs. Montgomery said that since her appointment to her present duties, she had lived in the heart of the congested district of her home city, in the slums. Her address was pathetically touching. She has devoted her life and energies to the uplifting of those poor little denizens of the morally unwholesome tenements, and while she unfolded the pitiful details of her story tears dimmed her eyes.

Several congregations of this city have already taken steps to appoint probationary officers, similar to those who are working in Philadelphia, and Mrs. Montgomery came here at the invitation of a number of prominent church workers to assist in the preliminary wark.

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Troops Are Being Sent Home and News That War Is Over Is Carried to Capt. Marmaduke on Bogota.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PANAMA, Nov. 23.—The Star and Herald says that at the conference on board the Wisconsin, a distinguished son of Uncle Sam, Rear Admiral Silas Casey, acted as a mediator and peacemaker, which conduct, it remarks, reflects great credit on a nation, whose motives for doing good are too frequently disparaged.

Admiral Casey, in a brilliant speech, extended to the negotiators his heartfelt good wishes, highly praising them for their judgment and patriotism and their arrangement of such an extremely delicate matter. Gen. Cobas, who spoke in good English, made an eloquent reply, and in the name of Colombia thanked the gallant admiral for his share in bringing peace.

Troops are being sent away. Nearly 1,000 men will leave tonight for Barranquilla. As soon as the revolutionary gunboat Padilla arrives here the troops in the Cauca provinces will be sent to Buena Ventura.

Gen. Herrera and his secretaries have arrived at Agua Dulce, accompanied by a government commissioner, bringing the news of the conclusion of peace to the gunboat Bogota in order to prevent a fight with the Padilla should they meet.

Gen. Salazar, governor of Panama, has set all the political prisoners at liberty.

IN THE OIL FIELDS.

Developments in the Lower Southwest oil fields during the past week were not fruitful of new strikes of any great importance. The usual number of wells were drilled in all the old developments, but gushers had no part in the discoveries.

Producers and operators watched expectantly for the credit balance market to advance a few points, but the week slipped by and the price of Pennsylvania crude remained fixed at $1.45.

During October stocks were drawn on to the extent of 681,325 barrels to meet the excess of consumption over production. During the first twenty days of the present month, the incomplete statement of runs and shipments as given out from day to day, showed that the stocks have been drawn on close to 900,000 barrels. If the same ratio is maintained to the end of the month, the stocks in storage will suffer the heaviest reduction of any month in the year.

Of the shortage as shown by the present averages, the Pennsylvania stocks will have contributed more than 400,000 barrels, and the Lima fields more than 300,000 barrels, with the deficiency. Unless the conditions are reversed in December, the record for the year will show that the stocks have declined for every month with the single exception of July, when a small gain was made.

With no profits producing territory in sight and the old fields declining, the means for increasing the production becomes a serious matter. There are those who still insist that the Texas product will in the future become a factor, but if this is true, it is not yet in evidence.

The Gordon sand fields in West Virginia are now, and have been for some months, the main source for supplying new high grade oil. Operations in these districts are active. The Gordon sand development is still furnishing some very fine producers and has a considerable area of undeveloped territory. Interest has been transferred to the new pool in Monroe county, north of Pine Grove, in Wetzel county, and should this district prove as good as expected, the Gordon sand will for some months to come stand at the head as the maker of a great amount of new production. The Grass Run district, in Harrison county, has not been fully drilled over but it is the general opinion that this pool has seen its best, and that it has been done too good from an investment standpoint. In the deep sand territory a few good producers, followed by a number of light wells and dusters, cut down the profits. It's a game of chance at best, and when it comes to playing where the stakes run all the way from $10,000 to $50,000, some but those with a big bank account care to enter.

Of the shallow sand developments in West Virginia little can be said. The Keener sand pools in Doddridge county have run their course and are now on the down grade. The one-time gushers are dropping out of sight and soon all will be in the pumper list. Ritchie county, however, is showing up well in the Big Injun and Shallow sand, and the county has more experimental work under way and starting than any other county in the state.

Wood county is not far behind Ritchie in this connection. There is quite a good showing of new work along the districts on the river front.

Nothing more is known of the Big Injun sand territory on Paden Timber run, Wetzel county. The most encouraging feature is the way the Francis farm well is holding up. It is producing 300 barrels a day with great regularity, and for this reason it looks as though the development had a future.

Operators on the Ohio side of the Lower Southwest are working out some new pools that look like winners. There are at this time four new developments in as many different counties. The Unity Oil Company has not abandoned hope of opening a pool near Moncyclell in Monroe county. This company's fourth venture on the F. E. Cooper farm will be due to get the sand this week. The old producer is holding up at better than 50 barrels a day and this lends encouragement to keep the company at work. Another operator in the new development near Uniontown, Belmont county, another good producer has been drilled in and is the incentive for starting new work on the northeast of the first wells drilled in that locality.

On Clear Fork, northwest of the Rhardt's Mills district, in Monroe county, there is considerable activity in the other part of the southeastern part of the Buckeye state. The wells in this development show a higher average in production than in any other pool, and analysis has proved that the formation is richer of producing formations than in any other field. The Cow Run, Kasner, Big Lime, Big Injun and the Berea grit furnish paying wells. The Berea, however, is the principal producer.

South of Knoxville, Jefferson county, three new wells were completed during the week and two of them are 100-barrel producers. Holders of territory in this vicinity are losing no time in starting new work. The indications favor a pool of no small dimensions if, as now thought, the development can be connected up with the old Island Creek district to the east. In the last named there is an inclination to increase operations.

The Plum Run district, in Harrison county, is a busy development and the developers are having fairly good success. The average production of the wells does not exceed 10 barrels a day, but there is enough territory of very large and only a few dry holes have been encountered.

IN MEMORY OF DEAD.

Veterans of Foreign Service Pay Respects to Comrades, Who Died in Far-Off Lands.

The Allegheny county organization of the Veterans of Foreign Service held their first memorial meeting in Carnegie hall, Allegheny, yesterday, in honor of the memory of their 30 or more comrades who died in arms in Cuba, Porto Rico, China and the Philippines, and on the last Sunday but one in each succeeding November "in memory" will be observed.

The invocation was delivered by the Rev. N. L. Brown, pastor of the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church of Pittsburgh, as was the memorial sermon. Commander Jacques Labelle, who served in the navy during the late war, spoke on the objects and principles of the association and those two little "soldiers' darlings," the Dawson sisters, were features of the program. The younger veterans were escorted to the meeting hall by a detail of veterans of Post No. 88, G. A. R., under command of Maj. L. C. Greves, who addressed the meeting on the relations the Grand Army veterans bore to those who fought for the liberty of the island republic.

The choir of the Buena Vista Methodist Episcopal church sang several martial anthems, City Organist H. P. Ecker assisting in the accompaniment.

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FOR SALE.

In Baum Grove district, modern brick house, 10 rooms, cor. of two good paved streets. $12,000.

S. H. LLOYD,
6016 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR SALE.

Second ward, Allegheny; 5 minutes from city hall; good brick house; 7 rooms and all improvements; only $3,800.

See W. L. SCOTT & CO.,
300 Fedeal street,
Allegheny.

Real Estate—Special.

BARGAINS for investors in Cleveland real estate; apartments, business and residence properties. Glanfield & Co., 129 Euclid ave., Cleveland, O.

FOR SALE—Elegant lot, Ingram Ridge; owner chose among best residences; has moved east; can be bought right. Address W 80, The Gazette.

Farms.

$4,500—One of the best farms in Mercer county, of 78 acres. Improvements, frame house of 8 rooms, good cellar, bank barn, carriage house, other outbuildings; orchard, best varieties of fruit. This farm is near Greenville, one of the best towns in the state.

YOUNG & CO.,
6200 Penn ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Manufacturing Sites.

FOR SALE.

Manufacturing plant with about 500 feet of railroad frontage and good siding on the P. R. R., within the city limits.

A bargain at $50,000.

S. H. LLOYD,
6016 Penn ave., E. E., Pittsburgh.

Business Properties.

BARGAIN IN DOWNTOWN PROPERTY.

Market st.; corner lot; over 40 ft.; lease expires April 1, 1903; only $1,400 ft.; must sell this week. Address F 76, The Gazette.

AUCTION SALE.

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FINE FURNITURE, CARPETS, BRASS BED, PIANO, GAS RANGE, HOT WATER BOILER, OFFICE DESK, RUGS ETC., TUESDAY, NOV. 25, AT 10 O'CLOCK, AT THE ROOMS OF THE HENRY AUCTION CO., 124 AND 126 NINTH ST., PITTSBURGH.

Fine Chamber Suites in Oak and Mahogany, Chiffoniers, Wardrobes, Bookcases, Mirrors, Dishes, Clocks, Brass Bed, Handsome Parlor Suite, Leather Couch, Chairs and Rockers, Mahogany Upright Piano, Fancy Tables and Chairs, Sideboards, China Closets, Dishes and Glassware, Hall Racks, Large Gas Range, Hot Water Boiler, Pipes, etc. Also a large line of Velvet, Brussels and Ingrain Carpets for rooms and halls. Goods now on exhibition. Sale positive.

HENRY AUCTION CO.,
Auctioneers.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE STOCK.

The undersigned will expose to sale at public venue or outcry, on Monday, the 24th day of November, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the door of the main stairway in the court house in Pittsburgh, Pa., 2,960 shares of the full paid capital stock of the par value of $50.00 per share, of the George A. Hogg Iron & Steel Foundry Company, a corporation of the state of Pennsylvania, whose entire capital stock is 3,000 shares. Terms of sale cash.

GEORGE A. HOGG,
WILLIAM A. HOGG,
Executors of N. B. Hogg, deceased.
Twenty-fourth and Railroad streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, Pa., No 524 January term, 1903. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny county, Pa., on the 17th day of December, A. D. 1902, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., under the "Corporation act of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" and the supplements thereto, by William H. Self, William A. Magee, Geo. C. Wilson, Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, D. D., David Jones, T. Hart Given, Dr. Frank Le Moyne, A. F. Keating, Rt. Rev. Richard Phelan, William Flinn, H. S. A. Stewart, John A. Bell, and Joshua Rhodes, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "Elizabeth Steel Magee Hospital." The character and object of which is the erection, maintenance and establishment of a hospital, which shall be open to the sick and injured of all classes, without respect to their religion, creed, color, or previous condition, and to which shall especially be admitted, all females who may apply for admission thereto, for lying-in purposes, without any questions being asked as to their past lives or names, and for these purposes to possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act and its supplements. Wm. D. Evans, Solicitor.

JAMES M. CLARKE, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, ss., state of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 928, December terms, 1902, on Saturday, the 20th day of December, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., by William G. Gilmore, R. B. Thompson, Hugh King, A. C. Gumbert, William Williams, A. H. Edwards, C. W. Langstaff, Robert B. Phillips, Jr. and others, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Republican association of Pittsburgh, the character and object of which is acquiring a more thorough knowledge of the science of political economy and for social enjoyment; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly, and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office. James M. Clarke, Solicitor.

WILLIAM A JORDAN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 330 Frick building. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania, on the 26th day of November, 1902, by H. F. Basts, J. L. Moore, D. Hamilton, Jr., and J. L. Reisher, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, the charter of an intended corporation, to be called the Mutual Real Estate Company, the character and object of which is purchasing, holding, leasing and selling real estate in Pittsburgh, and for these purposes to have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. William A. Jordan, Solicitor for Applicants.

WM. HUNTER, 431 Grant st., Court of quarter sessions of Allegheny county, state of Pennsylvania, No. September sessions, 1902. In re application for transfer of retail liquor license of Michael R. Collins from the premises, No. 2225 Second avenue, Fourteenth ward, city of Pittsburgh, to Fred S. Avery, for the premises at Third avenue and Smithfield street, Second ward, city of Pittsburgh, premises known as Grand Hotel. Notice is hereby given that the above application was filed on November 14, 1902, and that the same will be heard by the court on Saturday, November 29, 1902, at 9:30 a. m., when and where all parties interested may be heard upon the same. Wm. W. Miller, Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth on the 15th day of December, 1902, by John J. Brooks, George V. Brown and John Gates, jr., under the corporation act of 1874 and the supplements for a charter of an intended corporation to be known as the Bankers Trust Company of Pittsburgh, the character and object of which is the assurance of titles of real estate, mortgages and others interested in real estate from loss by reason of defective titles, liens and incumbrances, and for such purposes to possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act and supplements.

H. L. KING, Attorney-at-Law, No. 509 Ross st., Pittsburgh Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Philip Hortmann deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Louise M. Hortmann, administratrix, No. 2113 Jane st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

H. M. DAVIDSON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 615 Fakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of J. R. G. Logan, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Amile Logan, No. 9 Snyder st., Allegheny, Pa.

UNITED STATES Engineer Office, Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 20, 1902.—Public rehearings will be held at this office at 10 o'clock a. m., on Friday, November 28, 1902, pertaining to the Union bridge, and Saturday, November 29, 1902, pertaining to the Sixth street bridge, Pittsburgh. In the matter of certain alterations proposed to be ordered in them by the secretary of war.

MEETINGS.

Union National Bank.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 21, 1902.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Union National bank of Pittsburgh will be held at the bank on Monday, the 1st day of December next, for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock of said bank from two hundred and fifty thousand ($250,000) dollars to five hundred thousand ($500,000) dollars.

C. F. DEAN, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Fairport Terminal Company will be held on Monday, December 8, 1902, at 10:30 a. m. in building of A. M. Byers & Co., third floor, 235 Water st., Pittsburgh, Pa. H. R. Irvin, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 15, 1902.

NOTICE—The McFarland Oil Companies, No. 1 and 2, have this day been dissolved. All claims and payments to be made to John H. Niebaum, secretary. T. W. Baker, W. R. Boggs, W. J. Gilmore, Davis Glass, S. A. Steel, G. McFarland, Alexander Hall, W. W. Wilson, J. McNeilly, G. W. Rowley, John H. Niebaum.

BANK STATEMENTS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PUBLIC TRUST COMPANY

of Pittsburgh, Pa., No. 238 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 12, 1902:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 5,258 41
Checks and other cash items	363 50
Due from banks and bankers	71,752 14
Commercial and other paper owned	15,605 43
Call loans upon collateral	40,700 00
Loans upon bonds and mortgages	21,100 00
Investment securities owned, viz:	
Stocks, bonds, etc. $8,000 00	
Mortgages 3,300 00	
	11,300 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	40,123 00
Miscellaneous assets	3,980 84
Total	$210,123 38

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$194,260 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,427 11
Deposits, subject to check $8,900 06	
Deposits, special 5,250 35	
	14,150 61
Miscellaneous liabilities	285 66
Total	$210,123 38

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, John Jay Burke, treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JNO. JAY BURKE, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of November, 1902.

H. S. BLATT,
W. T. MARSHALL,
Directors.

H. FRASER LEGGATE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JOHN R. CAVANAGH,

PROPOSALS.

Office of Controller of Allegheny County, Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 11, 1902.

NOTICE TO INVESTORS.

Whereas, The county commissioners of the county of Allegheny have resolved to issue bonds of the county for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways, etc., as set forth in their petition at No. 1 September sessions, 1902, said loan to be in the sum of $550,000.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the county controller aforesaid, until Saturday, November 29, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon for the purchase of coupon bonds made of said county as aforesaid, to the amount of $550,000, to be issued in accordance with the act of assembly approved July 10, A. D. 1901, entitled "An act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties," etc., etc. Said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand dollars, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually and payable at the pleasure of said county after 20 years, and absolutely due and payable thirty (30) years from date thereof.

Said bonds to be free from taxation. Address proposals to the county commissioners of Allegheny county, marked "Proposals for Bonds."

A bond with approved security or certified check in favor of the county commissioners of the county of Allegheny to the amount of ten thousand dollars must accompany each proposal.

Any other or further information respecting the same can be obtained at the office of the county commissioners, Allegheny county, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

W. E. THOMPSON,
County Controller.

PROPOSALS FOR CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE SUPPLIES.—Chief Quartermaster's Office, Chicago, Ill., November 21, 1902. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, December 10, 1902, for delivery at the New York depot of olive drab covert cloth, olive drab worsted serge and coat buttons; for delivery at Philadelphia of D. B. uniform coat cloth, breast cords, lace cords and buttons; and for delivery at either the Chicago, Boston, New York or Philadelphia depots of buckskin gloves, black calfskin shoes, canton flannel shirts, to be delivered at the time and in the quantities specified. Government reserves right to reject or accept any or all proposals or any part thereof. Preference given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of quality and price (including in the price of foreign productions and manufactures the duty thereon) being equal. Particulars and blanks for proposals will be furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed, "Proposals for Clothing and Equipage Supplies," and addressed to Colonel E. B. Atwood, Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER.

The street committee of the borough of Turtle Creek will receive sealed bids for the construction of a sewer from Alph street to Penn avenue on the Electric plan of lots, according to the plans and specifications as prepared by the borough engineer.

Plans can be seen at the office of the borough clerk, corner of Penn ave. and Church st., Turtle Creek, Pa.

Bids will be received until November 29, 1902, until 7:30 p. m.

W. C. HILL,
Chairman of Street Committee.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

JAMES P. BROOKS' Dancing Academy, 1010 Penn ave.; beginners' classes Monday and Friday evenings.

BRAUN'S Dancing Academy; 1st lessons, three dollars. Sixth and Liberty sts. Austin McFadden, owner.

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NATIONAL PLANS TO FIGHT AMERICAN
YALE'S GREAT VICTORY TO BE CELEBRATED

PEACE REIGNS IN BIG LEAGUE

Magnates to Adopt Plans to Fight American at Annual Meeting.

TALK WITH PULLIAM

Not a feather in the dove of peace will flutter at the annual meeting of the magnates of the National league to be held in New York two weeks from tomorrow. It is expected that olive branches in great number will be strewn over the parlors of the hotel in which the annual scheduled pow-wow is held.

"The magnates of the National league are all at peace. All thoroughly understand each other and there will be no fight in the big meeting on December 9. The meeting will probably not last over three days and while it will be full of interest everything will be harmonious."

The above is the statement of Secretary Harry Pulliam of the Pittsburgh club made last night. He intimated that all the differences had been successfully patched up and that the National organization had put one great fight on now and that was against the American league.

It seems an assured fact that an agreement has already been reached among the magnates as to whether the league will elect a president this year or continue for another season under the present government of an executive board.

Executive Board May Rule.

While W. C. Temple has been suggested as the coming president of the league it cannot be learned if the magnates have all agreed to the selection of the Pittsburgher for the office. It is barely possible that the National executive board has been agreed on for next year.

In this case some concessions would have to be made to the Pittsburgh club, and it has been suggested that the compromise was made by President Dreyfuss a week or so ago when several of the magnates seen are said to have agreed to allow Secretary Pulliam to become a member of the governing board.

The many recent missions out of the city of President Dreyfuss lead up to the rumor that he has been in consultation with the magnates in both eastern and western cities to adopt some definite plan for fighting the American league which will undoubtedly be adopted at the league meeting.

Just what this plan of warfare is cannot be learned as all the local magnates are mum when the subject is broached. Secretary Pulliam, however, has admitted that such a movement is on foot and when asked about the outlines of it said: "Wouldn't I be a lobster to give up all I know before the annual meeting?"

Money to Fight American.

There is one matter that has already been settled and that is that the magnates will have to stand for a heavy assessment to pay the expenses of fighting the younger organization. At the last league meeting in April it was said a pool of $100,000 had been raised to fight the American, but small evidences of its existence have developed during the past season.

That Pittsburgh will not get such a good schedule as last season is evident from the amount of protests heard at the close of the season by the owners of other teams in the league. The Pirates had the best playing dates of any team in the National circuit last year, and it is believed that some concessions will have to be made by the local management before next year's schedule is adopted.

The rumor that Pat Donovan has announced his intention of quitting the diamond is not believed in Pittsburgh to be authentic. The leader of this year's cardinals is badly crippled by the fracture of the ankle of the American league team here, and if the franchise is secured Donovan will likely play ball in Pittsburgh next season and manage the local American team.

AMERICAN MAY NOT GET INTO NEW YORK

Ban Johnson's Plans Have Evidently Been Blocked in That City.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—During the last few days statements emanating from men high up in the American league councils regarding the proposed invasion of this city have been widely at variance. So much so that it behooves Ban Johnson, president of the league, to either be careful of his statements or request his confreres to chime in with him. Otherwise the growing opinion that the American leaguers are "four flushing" will become general.

One month ago Johnson announced: "We are going into New York next season without a doubt. We are not ready to give out the location of our ground there, because that would be to the advantage of the enemy and would only serve to give the enemy a chance to get at us. We have never been in the habit of disclosing our locations in other cities, and it will not be wise for us to do so in this case."

"The American league has not laid out $20,000 for ground leases and advanced salaries for nothing."

Some of Johnson's stanchest supporters in the American league circuit are inclined to view the New York invasion with misgivings. Several who a few months ago thrated day after day that the American league would play in New York, and on Manhattan island at that, are now silent on the subject. One expresses himself as follows:

"Johnson, who has returned to Chicago from his scouting tour, is not definite enough to suit me in regard to the location of the American league grounds in New York. So long as he remains indefinite the public will regard the move as a 'four flush'—I have found that out by talking with men who follow baseball. I believe he has grounds in view, but is hesitating about announcing them, fearing some hitch at the last moment."

In the meantime the New York baseball enthusiasts await Johnson's pleasure, some believing, some doubting and some stating emphatically that there will be no American League club in New York next season and certainly not on Manhattan island.

BOTH FIGHTERS READY.

Eddie Kennedy and Matty Matthews Await the Sound of the Gong.

Eddie Kennedy and Matty Matthews will finish their training today for their 10-round contest tomorrow night at Turner hall, Allegheny. Both men are below the acquired weight, 145 pounds, and will rest up from now until the gong sounds.

Providing Matty Matthews, the foremost welterweight champion of the world, is successful in his boxing contest with Eddie Kennedy, he will, no doubt, be a very busy boxer for some months to come. His manager, Marve Smith of Buffalo, arrived in town last night and unfolded a series of matches he has arranged for the clever Brooklyn boy. An early engagement with Rube Ferns the "Kansas rube," has been booked to take place at Fort Erie, and a contest with Martin Duffy of Toronto has been arranged. In the event of beating the men mentioned the winner of the Ferns-Matthews bout will be matched with Joe Gans.

Manchester vs. Southside Turners.

Manchester Turner hall will be the scene of another exciting basketball game tonight, when the South Side Turners will endeavor to lower Manchester's colors. The South Side team has been playing the game for several years and is rated as one of the best teams in Pittsburgh. This will be their opening game away from home and they will do their utmost to make it a victory. The preliminary will be between the Manchester Juniors and the South Side Juniors. Following is the lineup for the main event:

South Side Turners.		Manchester.
Staadt	R. F.	Skillinger, Hay
Freyer Abbott	L. F.	Koch
Weitzel	Center	Metzker, Walliser
Mazel, Mack	R. G.	Graham
Land	L. G.	Burry

Referee—Little.

Too Sacred for Football.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The Geneva college team had scheduled a game of football for Thanksgiving Day with the Rochester team on Geneva's grounds, but the college authorities, who hold Thanksgiving Day as too sacred for athletic sports, forbade it and the game will be played at Rochester.

P. J. WALSH.

Manager of E. E. A. A. Football Team, Which Meets Wash.-Jeff. Here Thanksgiving.

WINTER MEETING OPENS THURSDAY

Coming Racing Events at New Orleans Promises to Be Best in History.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 23.—The winter meeting of the Crescent City Jockey club, which will open Thursday, promises to be the greatest race meeting ever held in New Orleans.

The raising of over-night races to $400 for selling purposes and $600 for handicaps has had the effect of securing for New Orleans the attendance of the best horses in training.

There will be about 1,200 horses at the track. The first issue of stakes, 21 in number, closed with the unprecedented average of 107 to a race.

Bennings' Track Entries.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—The following are the entries for Bennings track meets Monday:

First race, hurdle, one and three-fourth miles—Heroics, Conflicting Evidence, 158; Gascar, Collegian, Blacksmith, 152; Ragged Cavalier, 138.

Second race, maiden two-year-olds, six furlongs—Allen Ferres, John Nevin, Barkclmore, White Ghost, Glennevis, Colonsay, Bernard, Guse, Merry Sport, Fuego, Lord Advocate, Reckless, Lucky Day, Wheeler B., Mount Kisco, 112.

Third race, maiden two-year-olds, six furlongs—Jim Buck, Tioga, Roll Call, Blue Grass Girl, Rassinio, Raglets, Louise Elston, Loravele, Reire, Sentag, Lady Knighthood, Erda, Lady in Waiting, Profitable, Anna Hathaway, The Brook, Fortunatus, Lady Sarah, 109.

Fourth race, three-year-olds and up, one mile—Eloim, 112; Brisk, Double Dummy, Noramda, Paul Clifford, 100; Rockey, Lord Whisper, J. Craig, Red Damsel, Ray Paulaker, Senegal Rad, Jamaden, Jay Trimm, 104.

Fifth race, selling, three-year-olds and up, seven furlongs—Demurrer, 113; Maude Gonne, Paul Clifford, 114; Candling, Scholdale, Larva, 113; Glendridge, 110; Knotwinger, 108; Ascension, Valley Forge, Red Damsel, Flo Russel, Buck Lodge, Alpaca, 105; Carroll D., 103; The Stewardess, 100.

Sixth race, handicap, two-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles—Bonnibert, 126; G. Whittier, Gold Cure, 118; April Shower, 116; Paul Clifford, 113; Satire, 112; Contend, 110; Hunsdon Lady, 107; Jim Clark, 105; Examiner, 98; Hackemack, 90; Sir Faust, 88.

WASH-JEFF RESTING.

The College Eleven Is in Good Shape to Meet East End Thanksgiving Day.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 23.—The Washington and Jefferson football players are making the most of their rest and they ought to be in the best of condition to meet the East End eleven next Thursday. They expect to be able to give the Pittsburgh team the best football they have in their repertoire.

They expect also to take as many people to the city as possible to see the game, and they want it generally known that they are going to do the best they can in both so that this year they will not be accused of having misled the Pittsburgh management. Doubtless, as before, there will be considerable money on hand to back the chances of the Washington eleven.

The local eleven will not play again until they meet the East End team, but there will be hard practice all this week in preparation. The locals will present their regular lineup, unless some of the players are hurt, and Head Coach Montgomery will endeavor to get them to doing better team work.

The players are in better condition for fast playing than they have been this season, barring some injuries received, and they expect to make the game on Thanksgiving a good one to look at. The management of the Washington and Jefferson eleven has been repeatedly assured by many Washington and Jefferson supporters in Pittsburgh that their game will be the big event of the day and that they will draw a larger crowd than will the Stars.

Edworth Club's Bowling Tourney.

The Edgeworth club is planning a bowling tournament for the members to be played at the club November 20, December 6, December 13 and December 20. There will be four events and first and second prizes, unusually handsome, will be given to the winners of each event. There will be women's duck pins and women's cocked hat and men's duck pins and men's cocked hat. The schedule is as follows: November 20, two games of duck pins for men and one game of duck pins for women; December 6, two games of duck pins for women and one game of duck pins for men; December 13, three games of cocked hat for men and three games of cocked hat for women; December 20 finals in all events to those holding four highest scores in each event being eligible to finals. There will be no handicaps and every one in the club is eligible to play.

Steubenville Preparing for Lyceum.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—The "Old Guard" in football circles will be found in line against the Pittsburgh Lyceum football team on Thanksgiving. "Bobby" Burns, Tom Needham, Will and Fred Houser, Nalen Bower, "Mow-em-down" McClish, Boyer, Haupft and several others will play, and as Lyceum is counted a cracker-jack team this year a lively game is expected.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

Westlake A. C. would like to hear from a good 105 to 115-pound team for Thanksgiving morning. Address Leo Wentel, Elliott st.

On Thanksgiving the W. B. Blacks will go to Tarentum to play the Preps. of that place. The players are requested to report for practice tonight.

The Pequot A. C. and the Tigers of Allegheny will meet Thanksgiving morning for the 90-pound championship of Western Pennsylvania.

The W. B. Blacks Cadnos will probably play H. L. A. C. Jrs. at Homestead Thanksgiving day.

The South Side A. C. is without a game for Thanksgiving day. Any team that wants to play on the South Side will address Wm. Timmons, No. 98 Elm street.

The Glassport football team wishes a game for Thanksgiving morning with a 120-pound team in or around Pittsburgh, to be played at Glassport. Address A. J. Ward, Glassport.

The management of the Franklin A. C. requests all players to report at a special meeting at Logan street and Fifth avenue at 8 o'clock tonight.

Cambria will line up against the Polski A. C. on Thanksgiving morning.

Filmore A. C. would like to hear from good 50 to 60-pound teams for Saturday. Address E. Anderson, 1714 Irwin avenue, Allegheny.

Silver Decline Goes On.

MANILA, Nov. 23.—Silver has suffered a further decline in value. The government has issued a proclamation making the official rate 260 for 100 gold; the former rate was 250. Large quantities of Mexican silver are coming here from China, as it is believed that much gold is being circulated here on account of government expenditures.

TO CELEBRATE GREAT VICTORY

Yale Football Eleven Will Be Banqueted for Winning Championship.

GLOOM AT HARVARD

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Nov. 23.—Yale's football victory has filled the university's cup of happiness to the brim. The eleven will be given a banquet at the University club about December 1, at which some of Eli's most distinguished sons will be present and toast the team's prowess.

Dozens of rumors about Yale's athletic future are afloat. The athletic officials are trying to run down the reports that Harvard will drop Yale. No basis has yet been found for them. No provision for any future Yale-Harvard athletic contests exists.

The five-year agreement expired a year ago. After several conferences it has failed in renewal, at least for the present. Yale and Harvard agreed to play football this fall pending a renewal of their athletic agreement.

A move is on foot to have an arbitration committee appointed consisting of the president of the Yale club of New York, the president of the Harvard alumni of that city, and a third member to be appointed by these two.

Nobody at Yale wants to see athletic relations with Harvard broken off and everybody here wants future eligibility squabbles over players prevented.

Reports that Trainer Mike Murphy will go back to the University of Pennsylvania are denied by all the athletic leaders. Speaking at the football banquet last night, Julian W. Curtiss of New York said:

"Yale must never, never let Mike Murphy go."

All the Yale players are in fair shape despite their gruelling game yesterday. Bowman, who was injured worst, received a kick under the ear. Goss' neck was twisted, opening an old injury.

Great Gloom at Harvard.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Nov. 23.—The gloom at Harvard has a financial aspect. All are broke, despite the fact that Dartmouth and Penn made the Harvard team look cheap, the students locally backed their men. The crushing defeat by Yale shows that the crimson team is composed of many blue blood and not enough of the rank and file who do not fear a scratch.

The men are in fair physical condition, none are badly enough to warrant a physician's attendance.

Their fear of bodily injury saved them. Kernan received a vigorous yank from Glass and his teeth are still chattering.

Graydon is nursing a lame thumb which was forced backward by a Yale man's jaw, the others have a few bruises and sore joints. Kernan is severly censured for his part in losing the game.

Penn's Team Resting.

MT. POCONO, PA., Nov. 23.—The University of Pennsylvania football squad accompanied by Head Coach Williams and two rubbers arrived here late last night after a long and tiresome ride from Philadelphia.

This morning, after breakfast, the squad walked to the depot, a distance of 2½ miles across the mountains to get the Philadelphia papers. The temperature was 30 degrees and the sharp cold air of this much like that the men. They all returned feeling better for the invigorating exercise.

The afternoon was spent in various ways, the majority, however, strolling through the woods to locate hunting places and grounds on which to practice the coming two days. Head Coach Williams believes the right place was chosen at which to rest the men up and is satisfied that on Thursday the players will be in good condition to put up their best game against Cornell.

Cornell Confident of Victory.

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 23.—The fact that the Cornell eleven is finally pulling together for the great test of strength and skill with Pennsylvania on Thanksgiving Day has caused the situation in Ithaca today to take on a more confident tone.

The final announcement by Dr. Barnum that Purcell would be able to get in the game Thursday has gladdened the hearts of the coaches. After numerous experiments a shoe was finally invented which so protects the tendons of Purcell's foot that he was able to take part in Saturday's game against the scrubs and no bad results followed.

However Purcell's long absence from scrimmage work has not tended to harden his muscles, and it is feared that he will not be able to last any length of time in the game Thursday.

JOHN DILLON ILL.

Irish Leader Was Unable to Address Chicago Meeting.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—John Dillon, the well-known Irish leader who came to Chicago to address a meeting here tonight, in celebration of the Manchester martyrs' anniversary, was taken suddenly ill today and was unable to appear at the meeting. The attending physician gave out the information that while Mr. Dillon is not seriously ill, he will be confined to his room for several days.

There was great disappointment among the audience, which filled the Auditorium, when it was announced that Mr. Dillon was not able to address the meeting. Michael Davitt, who came to Chicago with Mr. Dillon, was the principal speaker of the evening. Nearly $10,000 was secured for the Irish cause.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—River 5.3 feet and rising. Packets on time. The swell which came out of the Kanawha three days ago reached here this morning. Capt. J. F. Ellison, superintendent of the Pittsburgh & Cincinnati Packet Company, returned home today from his vacation which he spent at Turners Landing, Ky.

LOUISVILLE—River on a stand; canal, 4 feet; falls, 1.8 feet; foot of locks, 5 feet. Business quiet. Packets on time.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary.

GREENSBORO—River 6 feet and stationary. Columbia down Monday and Woodward up.

OIL CITY—River 10 inches and stationary.

STEUBENVILLE—River 2 feet 10 inches and rising. Packets on time.

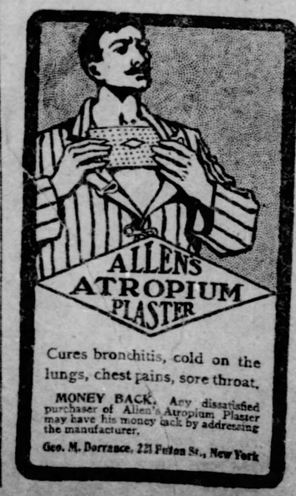
GALLIPOLIS—River 3 feet and about stationary.

WARREN—River .1 foot.

POINT PLEASANT—River 2 feet 11 inches and falling. No boats.

WHEELING—River 3 feet 3 inches and rising.

At 9 o'clock last night the marks on the gauge at the Davis island dam indicated a stage of 2.9 feet and the river was falling.



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CURRENCY BILL TO BE TAKEN UP

Financiers Trying to Push Question Through Short Session of Congress.

SHAW HAS NEW PLAN

Is Keeping It Dark Until Time for His Annual Report—Not Friendly to Sub-Treasuries. Would Retire Greenbacks.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10 Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.

It is becoming apparent that a most determined effort is to be made at the coming session of congress to pass a bill that will reform the currency system to the extent of making it sufficiently elastic to avert money panics, like those that have taken place in New York during the last summer and fall. There has been talk of currency reform for months, but it has been generally conceded that the interest in the subject was not sufficient to bring about the passage of a bill in the rush of a short session. While it is not now at all certain that a bill will be got through this congress, it is certain that the business interests of the country have come to a realization of the fact that with the continuing business expansion and consequent increasing demand for a circulating medium of greater volume and perfect stability some changes in the currency laws are almost imperative.

Men who are interested in currency reform regard the action of the New York chamber of commerce in starting an agitation for changes and appointing a committee to investigate the matter and report to congress on the reforms that the business interests of New York and the country deem necessary as most significant.

New Yorkers Become Interested.

Up to within a comparatively short time the business men of New York have shown practically no interest in the question, and they have been brought to a realization of its importance only by the unusually sharp financial pinches of the last few months.

It is said that the New York chamber of commerce will send a committee to Washington this winter to urge upon congress the necessity for immediate action, and the supposition is that the chamber will draw an outline of a bill that they consider calculated to relieve the present dangers in the financial situation.

Secretary Shaw has already completed that part of his annual report to congress in which he discusses the currency situation, and he will make some important recommendations for legislation. Contrary to the common report he will not recommend the total or even partial abolition of the sub-treasury system. Mr. Shaw is understood to be unfriendly, to a certain degree, to the present sub-treasury system, but he believes that the situation can be handled without abolishing the system, and he realizes also that there would be very serious opposition to any plan of currency reform that contemplated doing away with the sub-treasuries.

Keeping His Views Dark.

This opposition might not come from the financial interests of the country, but it would come with great strength from the popular mind. However, Mr. Shaw is closely guarding whatever plan he has in mind for reforming the currency, and while he is supposed to lean, as did Secretary Gage, toward asset banking, he declares that he will permit no hint of his coming recommendations to be made public until his report goes to congress.

A member of the house committee on banking and currency who has been in Washington during the week, declares he believes congress will most assuredly take up the matter of currency reform at the short session and pass a bill that will at least afford some measure of relief. This member of the committee, who has given the subject of currency legislation consideration for many years, says he believes that when the time for action comes there will be at least a most decided sentiment among the members of congress for a system of currency that will take the burden of gold redemptions from the treasury and place it upon the banks.

Would Retire Greenbacks.

This system would mean the retirement of the greenbacks—few legislators or bankers are willing to advocate an increase of currency by means of an increase of greenbacks—and the establishment of a general bank note circulation, secured by the banks themselves and redeemable by the banks through the medium of a central redemption agency, and the maintenance of redemption reserves equal to 33 1-3 per cent of the bank capitalization. By this means there would be supplied an amount of circulating medium, based upon the present national bank capitalization, about equal to the amount of greenbacks outstanding, $345,000,000, and it would have the added element of elasticity, which is one of the greatest faults of the present system, in the eyes of bankers.

Representative Fowler of New Jersey, chairman of the house committee on banking and currency, author of the Fowler asset banking bill, now pending before the house committee, will be Washington during the coming week, and it is expected that there will be early conferences among the members of the committee and with the treasury officials to determine just what program is to be followed in congress.

PERSONALS.

"America takes wonderful care of her working people," declared T. Y. Edgeworth, professor of political economy of Oxford university, England, at the Hotel Lincoln last night. Mr. Edgeworth is here delivering a course of lectures at the big American universities and stopped in Pittsburgh to study industrial and social conditions. His remark, concerning the condition of the workingmen, was a preface to an interesting chat on the results of his investigations in the United States. "When I say that the American workingman fares better than his European fellow craftsman, I speak in a general way," he continued. "The American wage earner, perhaps, gets no more good out of the necessaries of life, but he enjoys luxuries, that only the rich in England expect to have. On the other hand, the American skilled mechanic from one point of view receives the poorest wages, for the quality of his work is equal to that of the European workman and his activity gives him vastly greater capacity for work. In no city that I have visited have I seen the true characteristics of the American shown to a greater degree than in Pittsburgh. In many respects this is an ideal community—an Utopia that many celebrated thinkers of the world have often dreamed about. Her wealth is amassed through the channels of industry and turned to the encouragement of religion, literature and art."

Dr. J. Castanet, a chemist from Paris, France, at the Hotel Anderson last night talked of the average Frenchman's knowledge of America. "We all remember the struggle made by the colonists under Washington and Lafayette," he said, "when we speak of this country, and the little school children in the remote country districts of France are familiar with the incidents in the lives of Washington, Lincoln and Grant, but many of the more intelligent class are ignorant of the size of this growing nation. We ride across France in less than 18 hours, and Frenchmen who should know better, would be skeptical if told that it requires four days of continuous traveling to span the United States. This seems incredible in these days of free books and good maps, but it is true, nevertheless. Americans appreciate this when they come to Paris, and expect to see everything in the city in three days. The average human being has little idea of space."

Dr. W. Horne of the surgical department of the German army, is at the Hotel Victoria. He recently visited the United States military posts in the west.

Lieut. E. L. Stanton of the United States army, is a guest at the Hotel Lincoln.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Persons from neighboring towns registered at Pittsburgh hotels are as follows:

Lincoln—C. P. Munch and wife, Du Bois.

Victoria—John E. Johns and William Johns, Massillon; George N. Reilly, Cadmore.

Anderson—B. B. James, Canton; C. F. Bardolph, Beaver Falls; Frank Sammon, Wheeling.

Seventh Avenue—William Harris, Washington; John F. Collerrel, Waynesburg; J. N. Wooster, Wellsville; E. E. Colling, Oil City; John Wohlgarter, Canonsburg; Pierce Ferguson, Sharon; L. P. Palmer, Dunbar.

Newell's—J. B. Duffy, Washington; L. K. Brown, Zanesville; William L. McCracken, Brookville; N. E. Harris, Bradford; John J. Walsh, Wellsburg; John V. Raab and George Raabe, Johnstown.

Duquesne—Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, Castle.

Monongahela House—H. B. Brown, New Castle.

Henry—D. A. Printz, Franklin; J. W. Landon, Marietta.

Griswold—W. T. Zelring, Meadville.

The Police Have a Clue.

Early yesterday morning a colored man entered the chicken coop of William Venter, Chartiers avenue, McKees Rocks, and was about to carry off some of the fowls, when Mrs. Venter hit him and emptied a charge of birdshot into the rear of the intruder, who made off at lightning speed. The borough police are now looking for a man that is unable to sit down.

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Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:50 am	*10:15 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5:20 am	† 8:35 am
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Alliance and Cleveland	† 5:20 am	† 8:35 am
Alliance and Wooster	† 5:40 am	†11:30 pm
Jamestown & Youngstown	† 6:30 am	† 1:20 pm
Ohio Valley Express	† 6:45 am	† 8:35 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 1:30 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 5:50 am
Tiffin and Toledo	† 7:00 am	† 5:50 pm
Wellsville and Wheeling	† 7:30 am	† 4:05 pm
East Liverpool Express	† 8:00 am	† 7:40 pm
Cleveland Fast Line	* 8:00 am	* 7:40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:00 am	* 3:40 pm
Erie, Meadville and Oil City	* 8:05 am	* 3:55 pm
New Castle and Jamestown	* 8:05 am	* 5:50 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8:05 am	† 5:50 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	†10:05 am	† 9:30 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*12:25 pm	* 3:30 pm
Youngstown & Jamestown	†12:40 pm	† 8:20 am
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12:40 pm	† 3:30 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 1:25 pm	† 7:20 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 1:25 pm	† 7:20 pm
Alliance and Cresline	* 1:35 pm	*12:50 pm
New Castle and Erie	† 4:35 pm	† 8:05 pm
Youngstown and Niles	† 4:35 pm	† 8:50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4:35 pm	† 8:10 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 4:50 pm	† 7:20 pm
Cleveland Special	* 5:00 pm	*11:45 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5:10 pm	† 9:10 am
New Castle & Jamestown	† 5:40 pm	† 9:05 am
Chicago Special	* 6:30 pm	* 7:45 am
Chicago Limited	* 8:15 pm	* 6:00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:15 pm	* 5:55 am
Indianapolis and St. Louis	* 8:15 pm	* 5:30 pm
Indianapolis, St. Louis	* 8:15 pm	* 7:30 am
Penna. Special (Chicago)	*10:10 pm	*10:20 pm
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Alliance and Cleveland	*11:00 pm	* 5:40 am

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Buffalo & Erie Express	† 5:20 pm	* 6:05 am
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	* 1:00 pm
Boston Special	* 4:20 pm	* 6:05 am
Chic. & Cleveland "Flyer"	* 6:30 pm	†11:15 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	†10:30 pm	* 6:05 am
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Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6:30 am	† 5:35 am
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Beaver Falls Accom.	†12:30 pm	† 9:30 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:50 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:25 pm	† 4:15 pm
Fayette City Accom.	† 6:10 pm	† 7:30 am
Fayette C. & N. Haven Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City	†11:30 am	†12:40 pm
Fayette City & N. Haven	† 3:30 pm	† 4:30 pm
Fayette City Express	† 5:20 pm	† 5:40 am

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PRICE RECOVERY DUE TO SENTIMENT

No Very Important Change in Underlying Condition of Market for Securities Is Noted in Wall Street.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.

A careful consideration of the week's development in Wall street leads to the conclusion that the recovery in prices was due more to a change in speculative sentiment and to technical market considerations, than to any important change in underlying conditions.

The market of recent weeks has not been a one-sided affair. A wave of pessimism had spread over the financial community, and the short interest was extended. The concentrated buying, directed against Manhattan Elevated and continued until that stock was forced up some 20 points, rendered possible by the air of mystery which the parties in interest cultivated and still maintain, frightened the bear interest and made possible the sharp recovery. The impending developments in the traction properties may be of vast importance, but unless they are such, and their future import is speedily made known, it is difficult to see how the full improvement in the general list can be maintained.

Mystery is always a potent factor in influencing a market advance, but in a market which has shown no entanglement of public buying, and which contains many elements of uncertainty, something more is required than doubt and a short interest to stimulate a healthy movement. The idea that some closer relations between the traction companies of the city must eventually come about is deep seated in Wall street, but few persons would have thought that it could start with the still untried and experimental interborough system and the Manhattan Elevated road.

Talk of Gold Exports.

The international money situation contains a number of points of interest. With the slightly easier tendency for time money and the upturn of the sterling rate at Paris, demand sterling has advanced sharply at this point, closing on Saturday at about $4 87½. With the hardening of call money and discount rates in London and the continual withdrawals of funds from the savings banks of France the negotiations of large loans abroad and the like, the local rate for demand sterling is close enough to again raise the discussion as to possible gold exports from this country.

One point which will be speedily determined in this connection is the bearing which the heavy remittances of bill in connection with the formation of the International Mercantile Marine Company has had on the exchange market. In some quarters it has been maintained that the entire disturbance in the exchange market and some of that also in the local money market has been influenced chiefly by the heavy requirements of the shipping deal. The syndicate was formed to supply $50,000,000, and these requirements, falling in a tight money market, are thought to have contributed to some of the conditions of stringency. Nearly all the money thus contributed by the syndicate, some $40,000,000, is believed to have been remitted abroad.

Some Pertinent Queries.

According to all accounts, wholesale rate advances are to follow the wholesale wage advances which were announced by the railroads last week. Possibly transportation companies have not received the full benefit of tariff enhancement, which came with the revival of prosperity, but if such is the case, why has the matter of increased earnings been held out as one of the chief reasons for higher stock prices, and wherein is the justification for the enormous expenditures for betterments? If the rate advances are made effective it will be well, but railroads this time in the trusts have got to deal with powerful combinations of shippers, who may not submit gracefully to the advance.

If not effective, then the increase in wages will merely add to the cost of operation without much benefit the result. As a matter of fact, it is not now so much a case of whether dividends will be increased as it is whether the present dividends can be maintained.

FOREIGN MONEY MARKETS

Situation Is More Hopeful in London. Coal Shares Improve in Berlin.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The situation on the stock exchange closed last week a trifle more hopeful than it began, after having weathered an uncomfortable period of depression in Americans and Kaffirs, principally in the latter. The almost total failure of the two colonial loans, those of Natal and British Columbia, had a depressing effect on consols, and home rails also closed almost uniformly lower in spite of good traffic receipts. Altogether, next settling day is not looked forward to with much satisfaction. The money market was firm and is likely to continue so until the end of the year.

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—Under the influence of foreign stock exchanges, the business on the bourse here last week was stagnant, but quotations in most departments were better maintained than on the non-German exchanges. The weakest department was that of domestic loans, which, being heavily sold, lost more ground than usual. Some operators claimed that the selling of German 3 per cents proceeded from the United States, but this assertion is discredited. American holdings in these stocks being too insignificant. The situation in Wall street, however, is regarded as one of the chief causes of the drop, since New York continues to offer bills for discount here in large amounts, and it is believed that the American demand for German money will increase toward the end of the year, resulting in higher money here. Hence the tendency to sell domestic loans.

Foreign government securities have been quite neglected and most industrials were also lifeless, but coal shares have improved upon the arrival of cold weather and the increased production of the mines. Iron shares were weak upon the failure to renew the siegen pig iron syndicate, but quotations generally were fairly maintained. A meeting was held at Cologne this week of all the German bar iron manufacturers and a committee was elected to organize a common selling agency for home and abroad. Electrical shares were firmer.

Accidently Kills His Brother.

CLEARFIELD, PA., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—While carelessly handling a revolver this morning Lawrence Ball, aged 18, shot and instantly killed his brother, Victor, aged 15. Both boys had just returned from church.

Bail Jumper Caught in New Jersey.

Andrew Decker was lodged in jail yesterday on his arrival from Camden, N. J., where he was arrested on a requisition from Gov. Stone. He was selling liquor illegally at Braddock and jumped his bail of $1,000, last July.

NEW YORK PRICES.

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Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
1000	A., T. & S. Fe.	84½	84⅞	83⅞	83⅞
7500	Do preferred	99½	99⅝	98⅞	98⅝
	Am. Cotton Oil.	47¼	48⅝	47⅛	47
	Do preferred				90
8800	Am. Sug. Ref.	121⅛	122	120⅝	120⅝
	Do preferred				117½
6000	Am. Locomotive	28	29½	28	29
100	Do preferred	91⅝	91⅞	91⅝	91
2100	Am. Car Found.	35	35⅝	35	35
300	Do preferred	90⅜	91	90⅝	91
	American Can				42½
	Do preferred				89
16500	Amalga. Copper	59½	59⅝	56⅜	57
100	Anaconda Copper	90	90	86	87
500	Am. Smelt & Ref.	44¾	45½	43⅝	44⅛
100	Do preferred	95	95	93	93½
	American Ice	13¼	10⅝	10⅛	10⅝
	Do preferred	38⅝	38⅝	38⅛	38
14700	Balt. & Ohio	101	101⅞	100⅜	100⅜
	Do preferred				95
2400	Brook. Rap. Tr.	65	65⅜	62⅝	62⅝
5400	Canadian Pacific	130⅜	131¼	129⅝	129½
2200	Chi. Gt. West.	26⅝	26⅝	26⅛	26⅛
2700	Consolidated Gas	215	215⅝	213	213
400	C., C., C. & St. L.	97⅛	97⅛	97	96⅝
6200	Ches. & Ohio	47	47	46⅛	46⅝
1400	Chicago & Alton	37½	37½	36⅝	37⅛
300	Do preferred	71⅛	71¼	71⅛	71⅛
	Chi., Ind. & Lou				15
1200	Chicago & N'wn.	225	226¼	225	224
2500	Col. Fuel & Iron.	83	84	83	83
	Corn Product				28⅞
	Do preferred				82
2500	Col. Southern	30⅝	30⅞	29⅛	30⅛
200	Do 1st pfd.	72	72	72	72
400	Do 2nd pfd.	44¾	45¼	44⅞	44⅞
2900	Del. & Hudson.	163⅜	165	162	163
28900	Erie	35⅜	36⅛	35⅛	35⅛
1300	Do 1st pfd.	48	48⅛	48	48
200	General Electric	181	181	180	178
	Hocking Valley				92
	Do preferred				89½
11200	Illinois Central	146⅞	148⅛	146	146
400	Iowa Central	40⅝	40⅝	40⅜	40
100	Do preferred				68½
	Int. Paper				18
	Do preferred				71½
200	Int. Power	57½	57½	57	57
300	L. E. & West	54	54	54	53½
	Do preferred				120
2800	Louis. & Nash.	126	126½	125⅛	125
11900	Manhattan	151⅛	152⅞	150½	151
22300	Missouri Pacific	110⅜	110½	109⅜	109⅝
600	M., K. & T. pfd.	58⅜	58⅝	58⅛	58
2300	Metropolitan	140½	140⅝	140	140
200	Mexican Central	20⅜	20⅝	20⅜	20⅜
1900	National Lead	27⅞	28¼	27⅞	28
	Do preferred	94	94	94	94
	National Biscuit				44½
	Do preferred				120
7300	N. Y. Central	154⅜	155⅝	154	154
300	N. J. Central	168	170	168	168
7300	N., O. & W.	30½	31⅛	30½	30½
900	Norfolk & West'n	71⅜	71⅞	71⅜	71
	Do preferred				90
100	North Amer. Co.	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
1900	Peoples Gas	103	102⅝	101⅜	101⅝
200	Pacific Mail	30	30	30	30
	Pullman				225
600	Pressed Steel Car	50½	50½	50	50
200	Do preferred	92½	92½	92	91
18200	Penna. R. R.	138½	139	137⅛	138
	P., C., C. & S. L.				94
	Do preferred				110
	Railway Springs	35½	35½	35½	35
	Do preferred	88½	88½	88½	88
71400	Reading	61	63¾	60¾	62¼
200	Do 1st pfd.	86⅛	86⅜	86⅛	86⅜
3400	Do 2d pfd.	74⅜	77	74⅜	76⅝
35600	Rock Island	26⅝	27⅜	26⅝	27⅛
18300	Do preferred	81⅜	82	81⅛	82
1200	Republic Iron	19½	19½	19⅜	19⅜
200	Do preferred	76	76	76	76
600	St. L. & S. F.	73½	73½	72	73
	Do 1st pfd.				82½
900	Do 2d pfd.	72	72½	72	72
1300	St. L. & S. W.	30	30⅜	29⅝	30
1000	Do preferred	58⅝	56	56	55½
800	Do 2d pfd.	35⅞	35⅞	35½	35⅝
800	Wisconsin Central	26	26	25⅜	25⅜
	Do preferred	50⅞	51¼	50⅜	50⅜

$36800 Total sales for day.

Umbrella Factory Burned.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 23.—A fire today in the umbrella factory of Gans Bros., did $200,000 damage to the building and stock. Both were fully insured.

THE WEEKLY REVIEW OF MARKET PRICES

Grocery Changes Few but Important—Egg Scarcity Continues.

The week has not been productive of features in the hay and grain quotations, although the market has not been devoid of interest. The fact that there were no declines in the early part of the week speaks well for the strength of demand, for receipts have been heavy for quite a while, especially in hay and oats, but the tone of the situation has not wavered, and sellers have consistently held to what they believed to be the actual range of values. Since the middle of the week, however, the Pennsylvania Company has placed an embargo on hay and grain, and no more is being received from points either east of west for Pittsburgh delivery. This will cause a rapid shrinkage in accumulations here, after consignments en route have all come in and been placed. The market is expected to respond quickly to these conditions, and quotations may spring forward at any time. This will be most noticeable in hay and oats, which have the bulk of demand. Corn is not moving rapidly, the warm weather operating against it and millfeed. Straw is very scarce, and quoted prices are sometimes exceeded in figures obtained for the few cars which do reach here, where buyers are particularly anxious to secure stock. The only change made in the list of quotations since last Monday was a decline of 50 cents a ton in bran.

Changes in the grocery market have not been in many articles, but they have been important. Millers put up the price of spring patent flour, giving as a reason the present quiet situation in millfeed, which compelled a falling back upon flour to maintain proper incomes at mills. The advance in the local market over quotations ruling the week preceding is 10 cents a barrel.

Sugar has advanced three times during the last week, 10 points each time, making a total advance of 30 points, and making the list 10 points higher than it was prior to November 6, at which time it started to decline. No satisfactory reason is assigned for the manipulation of the market during the last few days, except that raws are much firmer. There is no doubt as to the fact that refiners made the declines early in the month against their will, and were only waiting for a removal of the competition which made downward moves necessary, in order to retrace their steps. Trade in refined sugar is fairly good, but is not particularly active. However, the market is strong at the advances.

All other grocery staples are unchanged. Coffee is steady, with some dealers predicting advances on account of the Guatemala plantation destruction. Navy beans are firm. Canned goods are occupying the same position as at the opening of the week, with corn very strong, and tomatoes easy.

Produce has had a week of moderately good trade, with not a great deal of change in prices. Irish potatoes are holding their own, except for a slight decline in track prices, brought about by some increase in receipts. Sweet potatoes are unchanged. Onions are steady at old prices. Cabbage is in very heavy supply, slow of sale, and the market is much lower. Cabbage has sold during the week at almost any figure buyers cared to pay, so much arriving that it could not be readily handled, and the weather being too warm to make storing safe. Florida egg plant is lower than at the opening of the week, with receipts larger, and demand diminished. Florida tomatoes are in the market and are commanding some attention. Spinach has declined. String beans are in liberal receipt, and prices are lower, with wax doing better than green. Squash is lower.

Apples are dull, easy, with very heavy stocks held by merchants. There is a steady demand for apples and many of them are moving, but the rapidity with which they have been coming in was so great as to make it impossible to move them out fast enough to avoid accumulations. Fancy stock is the best seller, but brings low figures compared to other years. Concord grapes are nearly done, but Catawbas are still in good supply. Quinces are about done, and are no longer quoted. Pears are still here, at unchanged prices.

Lemons are in very short supply, and prices are advancing, while oranges are commanding higher figures than those ruling at the opening of the week. Other tropical fruits are unchanged in price. Quotations for California grapes are nominal, with only occasional supplies offering.

Creamery butter advanced 1½ cents a pound on Monday, and is now firm at the advance, with extra table grades scarce. Cheese is very firm, and is in such short supply as to occasion some anxiety as to the future. Eggs are strong at 27 cents for selects, and at these figures not enough can be secured to take care of the demand. The weather has been so warm to render any general withdrawal from storage impossible, those which were taken out having been for immediate use. Colder weather would bring out many more storage eggs, and the demand for fresh would thus be relieved.

Poultry prices were advanced during the week, and were firmer at the close. It looks as though supplies this week might be too short for the demand, and a scramble for stock is not improbable. Dealers have already been disappointed in not receiving several large consignments expected.

Hams declined again on Saturday, and breakfast bacon also went off. Lard remained unchanged.

HAY GRAIN & FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 11 cars hay, 12 cars oats, 1 car wheat, 3 cars feed, 2 cars corn; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 6 cars hay, 1 car straw, 3 cars corn, 1 car oats. Total receipts, 40 cars.

Choice timothy $13.25@15.50; No. 1 timothy $13.00@13.25; do No. 2, $13.00@14.00; No. 1 clover $12.00@12.50; do mixed $13.00@13.50. Loose, from wagon, $16.00@17.00. Straw, oat, $8.50@9.00; do wheat, $8.50@9.00; do rye, $9.50@10.00. Corn, No. 2 yellow, shelled, 68@68c; do bulk, mix, 66@67c; do No. 2 mix, 66@67c; do No. 3 yellow, 66@67c; do ear, 72@75c; do high mixed, 70@71c; do No. 2 mix, 68@68c. Rye, No. 2, 85@90c. Mixed feed, $18.50@19.00. Oats, No. 2 white, 36½@37c; do No. 3, 35½@36c; do mixed, 34½@35c. White middlings, No. 2, ton, $18.50@19.00. Brown middlings, ton, $17.50@18.00. Bran, ton, $17.00@17.50.

GROCERIES.

Flour, fancy spg. pat., $4 20@4 25; do fancy win. patent, $3.75@3.85; do straight winter, $3.65@3.70; do bakers' spring, $3.45@3.60; dy rye, $3.45@3.60; do pat., $4.00@4.50. Cornm'l, bbl, $3.65@3.75; do 10-lb cotton bags, 19@20c. Rolled oats, bbl, $5.25; do pkgs, $2.80. (Square quotations are for Pittsburgh and Allegheny wagon delivery; jobbers add nine cents per 100 pounds for rail shipments to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.)

Coffee, roasted, bulk, rio, 10¼@12c; do fancy, 22½@23½c; do Marocaibo, 17@17½c; do Peaberry, 17@18c; do Caracas, 19@19½c; do Gol. Rio, 13½@14c; do Java, 26@29c; do Mocha, 25@27c; do mild, pkg, 9.50c; do high grade pkgs, 14.30@16.30c. Molasses, fancy new, 35@37c; do choice, 32@35c; do prime, 26@30c; do open ket., 42@45c. Syrup, fancy sugar, 30@32c; do sugar and cane, 25@31c; do 2½-lb cans, doz, $1.05; do 3-lb cans, doz, $1.20; do 5-lb cans, doz, $2.10; do 10-lb cans, doz, $3.80. Maple syrup, gal, 60@90c. Beans, prime mar., bu, $2.60@2.65; do navy, bu, $2.50@2.60; do mixed, bu, $2.40@2.50; do pea, $2.50@3.00; do California lima, 5½@6c; do Scotch, bu, $1.85@1.90; do split, bu, $2.25@2.35; do split, lb, 4@4½c. Oil, carbon, 110 deg, 10½c; do 150 deg, 11½c; do water white, 11½c; do Elaine, 15½c; do Ohio W. W. test, 11½c; do miners, 20@22c; do special brands, 26@43c. Rice, prime to fancy, head, lb, 7½@7¾c; do fancy Japan, 5c; do choice Carolina, 6@6½c; do prime Carolina, 4¾@5¼c. Salt, No. 1, bbl, $1.00; do No. 1 extra, $1.10; do dairy, $1.30; do grain, rock, sack, 95c; do pocket, $1.55@1.85.

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std pie, $0.85@0.90; do pie, $2.50@3.00; do Californ. Lg. C., $1.90@2.35; do Maryland, $1.15@1.65; do Cal. Y. F., $1.80@2.00. Corn, fancy, $1.10@1.25; do std, 90c@$1.00. Cherries, Cal. white, $2.20@2.25. Lima beans, $1.20@1.40; do soaked, 75@80c. String beans, 90c@$1.25. Peas, marrowfat, 90c@$1.00; do early June, $1.00@1.20; do soaked, 55@65c. Apples, N. Y., gal. cans, $2.50. Pineapples, $1.20@2.20. Plums, damson, $1.00; do California, $1.40. Raspberries, 85@95c. Gooseberries, 85c@$1.00. Tomatoes, standard, $1.05@1.10; do fancy, $1.20@1.30. Succotash, $1.05@1.10; do cans, 65c@$1.40. Baked beans, tomato sc, 85c@$1.40. Salmon, doz, $1.00@2.05. Chipped beef, 85c@$2.75. Corned and roast beef, 1-lb cans, $2.50@2.75. Roast beef, $1.50@2.50. Mackerel, broiled, $1.75@2.00. Sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3.50@3.85; do mustard, ¼s, $2.00; do French, $9.00@10.00. Oysters, 1-lb full wght, 85c@1.25; do 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1.10.

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags, 8½@9c; do 25-lb boxes, 8@12c. Apples, bulk, 10c; do 1-lb cartons, 10@11c. Peaches, 7@10c. Raspberries, 26@27½c. Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 9½@9¾c; do Muscatel, 2 and 3-crown, 5@5½c; do Ondara Val., 5¼c; do Cal. Val., 7½c. Currants, cleaned, 2½ and 5-lb pkgs, 6¼@6¾c. Prunes, Cal., 3½@8½c.

HONEY.

White comb, 17@18c. Buckwheat, 11@12c. N. Y. white clover, 15@16c.

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, choice, car lots, bu, 50@55c; do fancy car lots, bu, 55@58c; do on track, 58@60c; do ex-store, 65@70c. Sweet pot., Va., bbl, $1.75@2.00; do Jersey, fancy, $2.25@2.35; do med., $1.75@2.00. Onions, bbl, $2.00@2.25; do bu, 65@75c; do green, doz, 15@20c. Cucumbers, hothouse, doz, $1.00@1.25; do Florida, basket, $2.50@3.00. Cabbage, Danish, ton, $5.00@6.00; do domestic, ton, $3.50@4.00. Beets, doz, 25@30c; do bbl, $1.75@2.00. Parsley, doz, 40@50c. Radishes, doz, 25@35c. Spinach, bu, 40@50c. Celery, doz, 25@40c. Lettuce, home, doz, 50@75c; do Ashtabula, doz, 20@25c; do head, bbl, $4.00@5.00. Endive, bbl, $4.00@5.00. Egg plant, Fla., crate, $2.25@2.50. Turnips, bbl, $1.50@1.75; do doz bun, 20@25c. String beans, green, basket, $1.25@1.50; do wax, $1.50@1.75. Rhubarb, dz, bch, 30@40c. Cauliflower, doz, $1.25; do bbl, $2.50@3.00. Squash, Hubbard, bbl, $1.25@1.50; do mar., 75@$1.00. Parsnips, bbl, $1.75@2.00. Rutabagas, bbl, $1.00@$1.50. Watercress, doz, 30@35c. Florida tomatoes, crate, $2.00@2.50. Brussels sprouts, qt, 15@18c.

GAME.

Mallard ducks, pair, $1.50@1.75. Teal ducks, pair, $1.00. Redheads, pair, $1.50. Canvas bks, pair, $2.75. Rafter bks, pair, $2.50. Rail birds, doz, $1.75. Pigeons, doz, $2.25. Squirrels, pair, 30@35c. Grouse, imp, pair, $2.00. Ptarmigans, pair, $2.50. Blackcock, pair, $2.50. Partridges, pair, $2.00. Groundhogs, ea, 35@50c. Rabbits, doz, $3.25@3.50. Possums, each, 35@50c. Coons, each, 75@$1.00. Rabbits, pair, 30c. Sucking pigs, each, $3.00@3.25.

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, prepleased, 60-lb bu, small, $7.10@7.20; do mammoth, $7.20@7.30; do crimson, $4.75@5.00; do white, Dutch $10.00@11.00. Alsike, $10.00@10.50. Alfalfa, $7.10@7.20. Millet, $1.65@1.70. Grass, Hungarian, 90c@$1.10; do lawn, lb, 18@20c; do blue, 14-lb bu, $1.50@1.75; do red top, 14-lb bu, $1.10@2.00. Timothy, $2.00@2.05.

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl, $31.00; do half bbls, $15.00; do kits, $8.00. Mackerel, No. 2, bbls, $23.00; do half bbls, $12.00. Codfish, pure, bbls, $6.00; do 10-lb pails, $1.40. Lake herring, 100 lbs, $4.10; do 30-lb quart, $1.55; do 10 lbs, 62c.

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, Kings, bbl, $2.25@2.75; Baldwins and Ben Davis, $2.00@2.25; do greenings and pippins, $1.25@1.75; do bulk, handpicked, per 100 lbs, 75c@$1.00; do windfalls, per 100 lbs, 40@50c. Grapes, Concord, basket, 20@22c; do Catawba, basket, 25@30c; do Delaware, basket, 25@30c; do Niagara, basket, 25@30c; do Rogers, basket, 25@30c; do Worden, basket, 25@30c; do Moore's Early, basket, 25@30c. Peaches, Elberta, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Crawford, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Reeves, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Salway, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Smock, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Wonderful, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Hale, basket, $1.50@2.00; do Elberta, bu, $1.50@2.00; do Crawford, bu, $1.50@2.00; do Reeves, bu, $1.50@2.00; do Salway, bu, $1.50@2.00; do Smock, bu, $1.50@2.00; do Wonderful, bu, $1.50@2.00; do Hale, bu, $1.50@2.00. Pears, Sheldon bbl, $2.50@3.00; do Kiefer, bbl, $1.75@2.00. Cranberries, Cape Cod, fcy, $2.50@3.00; do choice, $2.25@2.40; do bbl, $7.50@9.00; do Jersey, $2.25@2.75.

PROVISIONS.

Hams, large, 18 lbs and up, 12½c; do medium, 14 to 18 lbs, 13½c; do small, 10 to 14 lbs, 13½c; do small, under 10 lbs, 14c; do skinned, 12½c; do boneless, boiled, 19c; do California, 10½c. Shoulders, N. Y. cut, 11½c; do skinned, 12c. Breakfast bacon, rib, 8 to 10 lbs, 13½c; do 10 to 12 lbs, 13½c; do back strips, 15½c. The advance for smaller packages over tierces is as follows: Tierces, ½c; Half barrels, ¼c; Fancy tubs, net, 99 lbs, ¼c; Plain hardwood tubs, net 40 lbs, ¾c; Wooden buckets, net, 20 lbs, 80c. Breakfast bacon, clears, 8 to 10 lbs, 16½c; do 10 to 12 lbs, 16c; do back strips, 15½c; Dry salt sides, extra, short clears, 12½c; Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs, 12½c; do 16 to 20 lbs, 12½c; do under 16 lbs, 12½c; Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears, 13¼c; Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs, 13½c; do 16 to 20 lbs, 13¾c; do under 16 lbs, 13¾c; Lard, pure, tierces, 12c; 50-lb tin pails (one or two in case), 14c; 10-lb tin pails (6 in a case), ¾c; 5-lb tin pails (12 in a case), ¼c; 3-lb tin pails (20 in a case), ¼c.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, California, $4.50@5.50; do per box, $1.00; Oranges, Jamaica, bbl, $5.50@6.00; do box, $3.50@4.00; do Florida, $3.00@3.75; Cocoanuts, bags, $3.25@3.50; Bananas, firsts, $1.50@2.00; do seconds, $1.00@1.25; Grapes, Cal., box, $2.25@2.50; do Malaga, keg, $5.00@7.00; Grape fruit, $8.00@8.00; Pineapples, each, 10@15c.

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter, prints, 29½@30c; do tubs, 28½@29c; do Ohio-Pa. creamery, 26¾@27c; do dairy, 22c; do country roll, 21@22c; Cheese, full cream, 13½@14c; do Ohio, 13¼c; do ½ cream, 11@12½c; do Ohio Swiss, 15½@16c; do Wis. Swiss, tubs, 15½@16c; do 2-lb block, Swiss, 14@14½c; do 5-lb brick, 13½c; do limb'rger, 12½@13c; Eggs, select, 26@27c; do candled, 23c; do at mark, 23c; do storage, 21@22c.

NEW YORK WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

NAME OF BANK.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits.	Average Circulation
Bk. of New York, Nat. Bkg. Assn.	$ 17,540,000	$ 2,741,000	$ 1,412,000	$ 16,148,000	$ 1,744,000
Manhattan Company	19,186,000	4,922,000	2,083,000	22,402,000	.....
Merchants National	11,491,000	2,212,500	1,247,900	13,029,000	.....
Mechanics National	12,679,000	1,853,000	1,383,000	12,792,000	.....
Bank of America	19,600,000	2,350,000	2,737,000	21,157,000	.....
Phoenix National	5,353,000	802,000	358,000	4,562,000	46,500
National City	118,013,000	30,800,000	5,634,800	160,036,000	5,458,700
Chemical National	24,080,500	4,459,400	2,093,800	25,347,600	.....
Merchants Exchange National	5,098,000	953,000	548,000	6,084,300	226,500
Gallatin National	8,413,000	972,700	1,076,000	8,476,000	360,000
National Butchers & Drovers	1,597,700	455,000	34,600	2,061,000	47,900
Mechanics & Traders	3,652,000	460,000	348,000	3,888,000	.....
Greenwich	1,205,300	111,700	168,500	1,109,300	.....
Leather Manufacturers National	4,746,700	871,000	1,039,800	4,674,500	472,000
Seventh National	6,611,300	1,220,600	250,000	6,051,300	537,300
American Exchange National	39,143,000	5,305,000	1,950,000	24,748,000	5,000,000
Merchants Exchange National	7,049,100	10,951,300	4,394,300	57,735,000	9,000,000
National Broadway	3,900,000	1,225,000	171,000	4,851,000	496,000
Mercantile National	13,158,100	1,971,200	1,260,900	13,488,500	901,800
Pacific	3,039,000	391,500	428,400	3,842,200	.....
Chatham National	5,746,500	708,800	753,900	5,672,400	49,500
Peoples	2,267,200	254,000	277,100	2,287,700	.....
Bank of North America	15,258,200	2,067,200	1,250,000	12,428,100	1,334,200
Hanover National	45,265,200	7,467,800	5,952,000	59,244,800	2,000,000
Irving National	5,508,000	701,400	514,500	4,343,000	248,100
National Citizens	3,692,000	1,159,700	423,100	3,319,800	248,000
Nassau Bank	2,747,100	391,000	355,400	2,747,100	.....
Market & Fulton National	6,115,600	837,000	779,000	6,200,600	50,000
National Shoe & Leather	4,202,300	987,300	751,400	4,867,200	49,100
Corn Exchange	23,785,000	3,668,000	3,448,000	27,057,000	.....
Oriental	1,162,200	222,900	187,800	1,502,000	.....
Importers and Traders National	23,010,000	3,634,000	223,000	20,116,000	42,000
National Park	49,322,000	14,1 4,000	3,470,000	60,818,000	1,662,500
East River National	1,083,300	222,600	100,800	1,338,500	.....
Fourth National	13,832,600	2,117,800	1,230,000	13,832,600	50,000
Central National	9,383,000	1,898,000	742,000	11,242,000	925,000
Second National	9,444,000	1,244,000	1,188,000	10,286,000	285,000
First National	75,000,000	15,845,900	2,250,000	69,758,300	7,446,900
New York National Exchange	5,500,200	724,000	460,300	5,156,000	466,800
Bowery	2,418,000	511,000	340,000	3,048,000	.....
New York County National	3,737,100	838,200	429,200	4,829,000	95,000
German-American	3,017,800	693,400	253,800	3,634,500	.....
Chase	10,584,600	1,541,100	1,250,000	12,355,000	1,000,000
Fifth Avenue	8,852,800	2,165,700	345,900	9,673,900	.....
German Exchange	2,252,700	140,000	700,000	3,213,000	.....
Germania	2,887,100	416,200	610,300	4,064,800	.....
Lincoln National	9,603,800	1,122,900	1,258,000	10,598,600	547,300
Garfield National	1,903,400	1,058,100	343,000	7,358,000	49,100
Fifth National	2,318,300	488,200	154,200	2,443,400	196,100
Bank of Metropolis	7,857,700	1,651,800	331,700	8,563,300	.....
West Side	3,005,300	653,000	338,000	4,125,000	.....
Seaboard National	11,026,000	2,000,000	1,436,000	12,784,000	50,800
Western National	37,018,000	8,761,800	3,225,400	48,184,300	550,000
First National Bk, Brooklyn	4,350,000	395,000	485,000	4,253,000	98,000
Liberty National	1,405,000	1,255,000	62,000	2,802,000	45,000
New York Produce Exchange	4,281,100	750,000	236,600	4,127,100	.....
Bank of New Amsterdam	7,126,000	1,211,900	600,000	7,797,500	197,000
Astor National	4,246,000	729,000	335,000	4,237,000	350,000
National Bank of United States	4,454,400	852,800	170,400	3,125,700	450,000
Total	$368,217,200	$170,908,000	$67,548,800	$675,706,100	$48,837,300

SALES FOR THE WEEK.

The sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange for the week ending November 22, 1902, were 29,261½ shares stock, $35,000 bonds and 1 3-20 rights. The business was distributed as follows:

SHARES.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge
50	Ally Tract	50½	50½	50½	+½
10	Amalga. Cop	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞	—13⅛
20	Birm. Tract	40	40	40	—½
2867	Brewing	31	30	30⅜	+1
265	Do pfd	46¾	46¾	46¾	—½
81	Con. Gas pfd	45½	45	45	0
20	Con. Ice pfd	36½	36	36½	+½
3048	Crucible Steel	20	18⅜	20	+1⅜
2100	Do pfd	85	83½	85	+1⅝
1431	*Fireproofing	29⅞	25¼	26¾	+1⅝
2113	Do pfd	38	37	38	+1½
15	Luster Mining	14½	14½	14½	+½
272	M. L. & H	88	88	88½	0
4	National Bre	110	110	110	+10
1624	Phila. Co	48	46⅜	46⅜	—½
200	Do pfd	49¾	48⅝	48⅝	—¾
2041	Pgh. Coal	27¾	27⅜	27⅜	+1⅛
1745	Do pfd	88¾	87	88¼	+⅜
306	Pgh. F. Glass	137	126	137	+7
50	P. S. Car com	57	57	57	+2
2150	River Coal	10¼	10	10⅛	0
419	Do pfd	35½	39	39¼	+3½
1702	U. S. Steel	57⅞	56¼	57⅛	+1¼
1671	Do pfd	85	83½	84½	+½
171	W. Airbrake	175	170	175	+1
2320	W. Elec. 2nds	103½	97⅛	103	+6⅞
1610	Win. Glass	56	50¼	55	+5⅜
137	Do pfd	93

OPENS HIS EYES IN ASTONISHMENT

Herr Goldberger Tells Germany America Is Like an Enchanted Garden.

THEN HE PROVES IT

Gives Few Instances Where the United States Have Outgrown Their Older Sisters Across Sea. Unbounded Possibilities.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
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"The Land of Unbounded Possibilities" is the title of a series of articles on conditions in the United States, prepared by Hon. Ludwig Max Goldberger of Berlin, royal privy councillor of commerce and member of the imperial German consultative board of commercial measures, to be republished by the treasury bureau of statistics in its forthcoming issue of the monthly summary of commerce and finance.

These statements are the result of an eight months' official tour of the United States by Mr. Goldberger, in which he made personal observations and investigations into industrial, commercial and economic conditions. His detailed reports upon these subjects were made direct to the emperor and the minister of commerce, and have not yet been officially published. Meantime, however, he has published in a leading weekly journal of Berlin, "Die Woche," a series of signed articles under the title, "The Land of Unbounded Possibilities; Observations on the Economic Life of the United States," from which the following are extracts:

Our Enchanted Garden.

The United States, like an enchanted garden, has brought forth from a marvelously productive soil splendid results of human ingenuity. Yet the thing that causes most wonder is that the concentrated intelligence which, intending to replace human factors by machinery, has, in working towards its aim, been giving to constantly growing numbers of workmen an opportunity to support themselves and become productive factors. The joy at the size of their own land encourages each individual. It makes him communicative and friendly to foreigners who are seeking information. It seems as though everyone were filled with the idea: "The stranger shall see how great and strong America is." My eight months' trip of observation and study took me through the states, and everywhere I found open doors inviting me to enter, and nowhere did I find the slightest attempt at secretiveness. Everywhere I observed an uncommon but steady bustle of men who enjoy their work and are consciously working for great results. "It is a great country." This is the verbatim designation of reverential admiration which the citizen of the United States has found for his country.

The inhabitants of the United States, including Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippine Islands, number about 88 millions—that is, barely 5 per cent of the world's total inhabitants, according to its highest estimate. This 5 per cent has at present taken possession of 25 per cent of all the cultivated area of the earth, viz.: 407.4 million acres out of 1,629.3 million acres. A land of marvelous fertility offered itself for tillage, and the husbandmen had but to gather in the produce. The virgin soil made his work easier, and its extensiveness rendered the application of artificial fertilizers practically unnecessary, although the agricultural offices of the states and the union have constantly by excellent advice and practical expert assistance, been furnishing the ways and means toward more intense cultivation.

Some of the Astonishers.

Let us examine the corn crops for the six years, 1895-1900. The world's total product fluctuated between 2.5 and 3 billion bushels per annum, a total of 16.6 billions for the period with an annual average of 2.77 billions. Of this amount the United States alone produced 12.4 billions, an average of 2.07 billion bushels per annum, or 75 per cent of the world's crop.

Toward the world's wheat crop the United States contributed in the five years, 1896-1900, 25 per cent, while for the year 1901 its contribution to the world's production of wheat amounted to 25 per cent. During the years 1896-1900 there were grown 14.7 billion bushels of oats in the world, and of this 4.74 billion bushels, or 25.5 per cent, were produced by the United States.

In the production of iron ore the United States proved itself to be a veritable land of unbounded possibilities. It produced very nearly 35 per cent of the total iron produced, and that of the very best quality. In the past year the United States produced 39.3 per cent of the world's product of pig iron. In 1900 it produced, roughly, 10.1 million tons of steel, or 42 per cent of the world's product, and in the year 1901 the United States' output was increased to 13.5 million tons.

The United States produces nearly 55 per cent of all the world's copper. The development of the American copper industry was perhaps more rapid than typical for even American changes. From modest beginnings this industry grew by leaps and bounds in a remarkably short time to the most important factor in the world's production. In 1870 the copper production of the United States amounted to 12,000 tons; in 1880, its production had increased to 27,000 tons, out of a total world production of 165,000 tons; in 1890 the United States produced 116,315 tons of the world's product of 260,455 tons. During 1895 it controlled more than one-half of the world's production, and at the end of the century the United States produced 270,600 tons, or more than the world's entire product amounted to ten years before.

Gave Spain a Beating.

The output of lead in the United States since 1895 has increased to such an extent that it has wrested from Spain the position of primacy in the world's production. In 1900 the United States produced 25½ per cent while Spain's share had receded to 18.7 per cent. In 1901 the United States increased its production of lead to 250,000 tons.

The rivalry of the United States in the production of quicksilver has been equally strenuous. In 1900 for the first time Spain's product is slightly exceeded by that of the United States. In 1901 Spain's share in the world's product amounts to but 28 per cent, while the United States furnishes 33 per cent of the world's total product.

The total world's production of gold for the year 1900 was estimated to be 256.6 million dollars; that of silver represented a coinage value of 225.5 million dollars. For the year 1901 estimates for both metals amount to 265 million dollars. In each of the two years the United States showed the greatest share of both metals, 31 per cent for gold and 33 per cent for silver.

Mrs. Davin Was a Busy Woman.

A squad of police raided the home of Mrs. Julia Davin, rear of No. 742 West Carson street, yesterday morning, and found her doing a thriving speakeasy business. Though the hour was early, the gay coterie found in the place had made quite an inroad on five cases of beer. Mrs. Davin and three of the party were taken to the West End police station where she put up a forfeit of $105 for her appearance in court this morning. Late in the afternoon the attention of the police was again attracted by the merry clinking of glasses in Mrs. Davin's place, and another raid was made. This time Mrs. Davin was locked up.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

Does not harm the Hands
GORHAM SILVER POLISH
Not a soap, but it cleanses
Contains no acid or harmful substance
All responsible jewelers keep it 25 cents a package

GREAT VARIETY OF OFFENDERS HANDLED

Sunday Morning Hearings in the Police Courts Developed Many Interesting Features.

At the Central police station hearing yesterday there were 83 cases to be disposed of. Helen Brown was fined $20 and costs on what might be termed general principles. A man lost $18 in her house, which was found hidden under the carpet in a bed room.

William, alias "Mouse" Conley, was sent up for 90 days. It was alleged he stole a watch from a customer at the Sherman house in Water street.

Thomas Brown and two women, arrested at No. 53 First avenue, where John Romig complained of losing $120, were all discharged for want of proof against them.

Henry Johnson, colored, was fined $25 and costs for flourishing a revolver at No. 512 Grant street. Thirty-three were discharged.

Magistrate J. V. McMasters, at No. 5 police station, sent Mrs. Lottie Turner of Spring alley to jail to await a court trial on a charge of larceny. Last Friday her husband, James Turner, called at No. 5 station and said his wife was about to leave town and that she had stolen a pocketbook containing $30 and a silver pitcher from "Dot" Carroll of No. 83 Robinson street, Allegheny, last April. He asked that she be arrested, which was done and the Carroll woman was sent for and swore out a warrant.

Magistrate McMasters also sent Mana Winawich, a Pole, to the county jail to await a court trial on a charge of felonious cutting. The cutting occurred early yesterday morning at a Polish wedding at No. 152 Forty-eighth street. Officers Thomas Rielly and Edmond Woods arrested three men. To take the men to the street, they had to pass through a dark alley at the side of the house. When they were in the alley, Winawich drew a knife and struck at Woods, cutting him across the face. Winawich was promptly beaten into insensibility. Several stitches were required to dress Woods' wound, although his injury was not of a serious nature.

At the hearing before Magistrate D. J. McGarey at the Twenty-eighth ward police station, there were three alleged "barkers" for clothing houses, charged with violating a city ordinance. They were Paul Burges and Albert Golden of No. 1408 Carson street, and Albert Gross of No. 1322 Carson street. As none of the men said to have been stopped by the "barkers" were present to testify, the magistrate discharged the defendants.

Magistrate Henry Hunneshagen of Allegheny had 26 cases on his docket yesterday morning. Thirty were charged with disorderly conduct, 15 being gathered in at a Slav wedding in Saw Mill alley. They were released on payment of fines ranging from $1 to $5.

Dan Leable of Beaver avenue was given 60 days in default of a fine of $25 and costs. Ralph Duff alleging that the prisoner drew a knife and revolver and threatened him. Joseph Dorich of River avenue, and Nick Litzorich of Saw Mill alley, each paid $25 and costs. They were charged with drawing knives and threatening to carve all who came near them in River avenue about midnight.

The Cold commonly described as "deep-seated," with pain and soreness in the breast, difficulty of breathing, and all that, yields quickly to Dr. D. Jayne's Expectorant.

McELVEEN'S
(McElveen Furniture Co.)

Chiffoniers of Distinction

The delight afforded by such furniture as the Chiffonier pictured above is cumulative. The greater the number of such articles in the home the greater the delight.

It is always good policy to have furniture of distinction. It is an inspiration. It gratifies the owner and excites favorable comments on the part of friends. Make the home as pleasing as possible. And especially should the bedroom be cheery.

You can always depend upon getting the right furniture at this store, and always at the right price. Which is not surprising in view of the fact that this is the largest furniture house in the world.

Here you see styles that are distinctive—and every style here is confined to

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(McElveen Furniture Co.)
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KORNBLUM, OPTICIAN
440 Wood Street, Near Fifth Avenue.

Weather—Fair.

JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Monday, November 24, 1902.

Four Very Special Sections of This Morning's News

should have the immediate attention of women and be acted upon with all possible haste. They are

The Special Sale of Evening Wraps,
The Special Sale of Fine Silk Petticoats,
The Special Sale of Blankets and Spreads,
The Special Sale of Flannel Waist Patterns.

Further along they are featured, and together with other interesting items, they form the nucleus for some spirited business today.

New York Horse Show Millinery.

Our Millinery Department is ready to exhibit all the models which created such rapturous surprise at the Horse Show in New York last week. All this week we will have on exhibition the very latest ideas in

Flower Hats, Fur Hats,
Plush Hats, Velvet Hats,

together with a great showing of elegant and refined examples of black Hats and Toques.

The fashions are now fixed for the Winter, and we may say that Millinery art was never more beautifully exemplified.

And the best of it is the prices are so very reasonable for these art models.

Please bear in mind that we have special tables filled with attractive Hats and Toques at greatly reduced prices, $5, $7.50, $10, about half of former prices.

Children can be fitted out for the Thanksgiving Winter parade of fashions with cute Hats that are inexpensive. Hats to match all children's clothing.

Interesting Reading of Holiday Dress Goods.

Neatly Boxed If Desired.

Without any superfluous remarks we go at once to the best part of this news—prices. After all, prices are glib-tongued advertisers.

All-wool Casmeres—staple shades ....
Printed Mohairs—blue and white—black and white..
Fine dress Cheviots staple colorings..
Stylish Nub and Flecked Suitings..

50c & 75c a Yard.

A popular Suiting, it is worth $1 a yard, it is 57 inches wide, it is to be sold today at 85c a yard, and it is known to you as FLECKED HOMESPUN. The color combinations are blue and white, blue and red, black and white, black and red, black and gold.

A POPULAR CREPE—a silk and wool material, admirable for house gowns, or for the street, 20 street and evening shades. It is worth $1 a yard, we are going to sell it for 75c. A pattern of this for the Christmas gift would be most practical.

Black Dress Goods.

When Dress Goods are considered for Holiday presents the dependable blacks always receive a large share of attention. A full pattern of black Dress Goods, especially if the gift be to a matron or elderly woman, makes one of the most desirable of gifts.

Our assortment at this season is unusually large, among which the following are mentioned as something extraordinary for the price:

1,000 yards of imported Prunella, 42 inches wide, the regular price being $1.50 a yard, but for which we set our price, beginning this morning, at $1 a yd. Neatly boxed if desired.

Antherea, the Beautiful and Good.

Sounds very much like the name of a novel, doesn't it? Simply the name of a new Lining Silk—one that may freely be termed a luxury.

Besides being all that is good and beautiful for lining, this new Silk may also be largely employed for the making of handsome Silk Petticoats.

Like all things new, when it is desired to have them introduced correctly, the manufacturers confined this silk to us for Greater Pittsburgh.

Shown at the Lining Counter in beautiful shades, as well as white and black, 58c a yard.

Mussed Blankets and Bed Spreads.

And because of this bit of mussing you can now buy them away under price. Hundreds of these Spreads and Blankets to sell you at prices that will more than pay for their cleaning a dozen times over.

$ 3.25 Blankets for $2.50 a pair.
$ 4.00 Blankets for $3.00 a pair.
$ 5.00 Blankets for $4.00 a pair.
$ 6.00 Blankets for $4.50 a pair.
$ 7.00 Blankets for $5.00 a pair.
$ 8.00 Blankets for $6.00 a pair.
$ 9.00 Blankets for $6.50 a pair.
$10.00 Blankets for $7.00 a pair.

And every thread in each Blanket is strictly of best wool.

The Bed Spreads.

For $1.25 each you may choose fringed Spreads for single beds that sold for $2.25, $2.50, $3 and $3.50. This is a splendid proposition for people who want Spreads for a single bed. For $1.25 each we will sell a big lot of double bed size crochet Spreads that formerly sold for $2. These are also fringed.

The Finer Linens for the Thanksgiving Table.

Mostly news of elegant matched sets from the world's best weavers of fine Linens, but at a lower price than any similar qualities can be bought anywhere in the western part of this State. By the way, our variety of Linens, from the best medium sort to the very finest woven, is of that broad liberality that you generally expect of this store—in other words, larger than you will find anywhere in either city.

$5 for sets comprised of bleached Damask Tablecloth, 2x2½ yards, or 2x3 yards, and one dozen Napkins to match.

$7.50 for sets comprising bleached Damask Tablecloth, 2½x3 yards, and one dozen Napkins to match.

$12.50 for sets comprising bleached Damask Tablecloth, 2½x4 yards, and one dozen Napkins to match.

$22.50 for sets comprising bleached Damask Tablecloth, 2½x4 yards, or other sizes up to 2½x6 yards, and one dozen Napkins to match.

$32.50 for sets comprising bleached Damask Tablecloth, 2½x6 yards, and one dozen Napkins to match.

$52.50 for sets comprising bleached hemstitched Damask Tablecloth, either 2½x4 yards or 2½x5 yards, and one dozen Napkins to match.

$11.50 each for bleached Damask Tablecloths, either 2½x3 yards or 3x3 yards.

$15.50 each for bleached Damask Tablecloths, either 2½x4 yards or 3x3 yards.

Special large sizes of bleached Damask Tablecloths, 3½x3½ yards; from $27.50 to $45; 4x4 yards, from $52.50 to $75.

For the less expensive Tablecloths and Table Sets, you will find all the variety that you could ask from which to select. Of course, prices will be right.

Finest Imported Persian Printed Challis,

48c a Yard.

There are 3,000 yards that must go out of this house at the lower price of 48c a yard. No need to say that it is favored of women for house dresses. And it is hardly required of us to hint that this Challis will make a practical Holiday gift.

Other lines of Challis—a 50c grade for 38c a yard. It is neatly printed, the combined colorings are very pretty. It is strictly all-wool and we have 2,500 yards to sell you at this price.

Christmas Silks and Velvets.

The earlier you buy your Silks, either the dress or waist patterns, you intend to give to your friend or relative, or the Silks for making up the fancy nick-knacks, the better choice you will have. We don't mind saying, for it is a fact, that we never sold in any season more Silks than were sold this Fall. Some attractive lines for today.

Fancy Silks—Persian, Pompadour, Broche effects, plaids, inclosed in fancy boxes, 85c and $1 a yard.

French Poplins in evening shades, both plain and Muscovite cords, $1 and $1.25 a yard.

Persian and Pompadour Silks in broche effects, $1.50 grade for $1 a yard.

Fancy Moire Velours in Persian stripes, something very beautiful, and the price only 85c a yard.

Black Moire Velour, full yard wide—$1.15 a yard for $1.50 quality.

Black Taffeta, full yard wide—$1.25 yard for a $1.50 quality.

Black Peau de Soie—20 inches wide—85c a yard for a $1.25 quality.

All the prominent colorings in Corduroy, 85c and $1 a yard for a $1.10 grade.

Fancy Pannes and Paons, 75c to $1.25 a yard.

Flannel Shirtwaist Patterns, Half Price.

These silk embroidered Flannel shirtwaist patterns come up from the Basement to the main floor this morning, and will be sold at the following reduced prices. It is a splendid opportunity for women who are looking for something neat to give as a Holiday gift to their feminine friends:

$2.00 each for $4.00 patterns.
$2.50 each for $5.00 patterns.
$3.00 each for $6.00 patterns.
$3.50 each for $7.50 patterns.

The above patterns contain enough of plain Flannel embroidered in pretty contrasting colors, with washable embroidery silk, to make a handsome waist. The ground colors are light blue, pink, lavender, brown, green, tan, cardinal, navy and black.

Candy Baskets, 5c.

As there are not any too many of them you will have to be in the Basement today to participate in this bargain.

Three fancy shapes, each worth 15c, but you can choose at 5c each.

Dinner and Dessert Knives

Dessert size, $1.25 the set.

Dinner size, $1.50 the set.

We have a few dozen of these imported steel hollow handle Dinner and Dessert Knives left over from the special sale last week.

Don't overlook them.

Have added several new styles to our Carving Sets. The line is now complete. $1.25 the set up to $20.

81x90 Muslin Sheets, 50c Each.

That is a good size and we want to say to you that you cannot buy 2½ yards of this same quality of sheeting from the piece for less than 60c.

And that is not saying anything about the making. We have 1,200 of these bleached Muslin Sheets for double beds to sell for the remarkable price of half a dollar.

⅓ Off Chafing Dish Prices

Chafing Dishes have been reduced about 1-3, and you can now buy these Dishes and have an opportunity to test your ability as a producer of tempting dishes, at these reduced prices:

$ 4.50 Chafing Dishes for $ 3.00.
$ 6.50 Chafing Dishes for $ 4.00.
$ 7.50 Chafing Dishes for $ 5.00.
$ 8.50 Chafing Dishes for $ 7.00.
$10.00 Chafing Dishes for $ 7.50.
$12.50 Chafing Dishes for $10.50.

5c a Yard

For Persian Bands and Fancy Braids.

These are odd pieces of many lines sold regularly for 12½c, 15c and 25c a yard.

They can be used for anything for which trimming is used. Good styles and colors.

The Trimming Department has 1,000 yards to sell at 5c the yard.

Buckles and Clasps

For Evening Coats.

At the Button Counter we are showing an expansive line of these requisites for the Evening Coat, beautiful jewel and Rhinestone effects in turquoise, coral and pearl sets.

50c to $8 each.

At the same Counter you will find Boa Chains, 5c to 35c each.

Flannels—Some Half Prices.

In the Basement Flannel Store, beginning this morning, we will offer some very excellent Flannels for prices far below what the goods usually sell for.

Some of the details:

2,000 yards of plain fancy printed Flannels, excellent for the making of waists, kimonas and house gowns—former price, 50c, 60c and 70c a yard—now all reduced to 35c a yard.

David & John Anderson's best quality of Scotch Flannels, always selling for $1 a yard, now reduced to 50c a yard.

10,000 yards of night-gown Flannelette—neat styles—choice colors—three underprices: 6¼c, 8c and 10c a yard.

Special lot of printed silk Poignets, in excellent styles and colorings—for making comforts. Former price 25c a yard, now reduced to 10c. An interesting proposition for women who like to make their own comfortables.

The Skating Season at the Rink.

Duquesne Garden opens Wednesday of this week, and, of course, young people are more or less interested in proper attire, as well as that other important thing, Skates.

We have everything that boys and girls—women, too—require for this delightful sport.

For Women.

Handsome Skating Suits of Corduroy, Norfolk style, the skirt 7-gore full flare, lining of extra quality of taffeta. Navy and brown. The price is $55. Another style with Box Coat and pleated skirt, same cloth, at $40.

Large line of Suits in new high-class mixtures. Stylish coats. Correct for either skating or walking. $25 to $50.

Skating Skirts of blue, green, brown and dark cheviot and melton, latest styles, $5, $8, $10 and $12.50.

Corduroy and Velvet are the most popular materials. We have two styles, one 7-gore flare with five inch stitching, the other 7-gore flare with broadcloth bands and inverted pleated back. Black, brown and green. $9.

For Girls.

Misses' Norfolk Suits of fine Scotch mixtures or plain cheviots, just right for skating, $27 to $40. 14-16 years.

Misses' Walking and Skating Skirts in black and blue cheviot, also mixtures, various prices from $6.50 up to $15.

Misses' Skating Suits of blue, dark red and steel gray, Skirt and Coat trimmed with fur, prices from $40 to $55.

Misses' Velvet Skating Skirts, made with inverted pleats—32 to 40 inches—$10.50.

It seems to us that Golf Vests would be admirable to wear while skating. They are undeniably smart and altogether swagger, if that can be applied to ladies' dress. We have full and complete lines beginning at $1.50 and running up to $12.

For Boys and Men.

Boys' Sweaters, all-wool, all colors, rightly made, will keep their shape. $1 to $2.25 each.

Men's Sweaters, blue, gray, white, red, finest made all-wool worsted. $4 each.

For All Skaters.

We have everything for the game of Hockey. Skates, both screw and clamped, $1.75 and $5 a pair; Hockey Sticks, 25c and 50c; Hockey Pucks, 25c.

Full line of other Skates for men, women and children, from 65c a pair up to the finest at $6.

The Fine Silk Petticoats.

This is, indeed, one of those opportunities that are only too rare. A manufacturer's sample line makes up this large collection, each garment of which will be offered today very much below the usual prices.

All colors, and the shades of colors, as well as black, are represented. There are many of the popular plaids.

Being a sample line you will at once understand that no two are alike. You will also understand that, being samples, they possess the best touches of clever workmanship.

$ 3.75 for Petticoats that usually sell for $ 5.75
$ 4.50 for Petticoats that usually sell for $ 6.75
$ 5.00 for Petticoats that usually sell for $ 7.50
$ 5.75 for petticoats that usually sell for $ 8.50
$ 6.25 for Petticoats that usually sell for $ 9.50
$ 7.25 for Petticoats that usually sell for $11.00
$ 8.50 for Petticoats that usually sell for $12.75
$ 9.00 for Petticoats that usually sell for $14.50
$10.00 for Petticoats that usually sell for $15.00
$10.75 for Petticoats that usually sell for $16.50
$11.25 for Petticoats that usually sell for $17.00
$12.00 for Petticoats that usually sell for $18.00
$14.00 for Petticoats that usually sell for $21.00

And so on up to the finest Silk Petticoats for $31 that sold for $46.50.

We submit the above as something possessing more interest for women than anything that has been given out lately in our daily store-news.

Handsome Evening Wraps

Averaging a Third Less.

Our buyer had presented to him, while in New York last week, the pick of some handsome Evening Three-Quarter Coats at an average price of a third less.

As quick as a broker turns a deal they were ours—and that is instantaneous.

White coats, tan coats, black coats; some trimmed with fur and lace, others with just lace—the effects too lovely to be described for mere reading.

They will have to be seen to be understood. We did make an attempt Saturday to describe them, but the attempt was rather flat.

See them today for the exemplification of all that is refined and beautiful in women's overgarments.

The reduced prices are

$135 Evening Wraps for $ 90
$150 Evening Wraps for $100
$175 Evening Wraps for $125